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HICKMAN, FULTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, SEPT. 1, 1910.

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Fire departments are necessary and save much property, but they cannot be relied upon always. Although they may put out the fire water may do as much damage as the fire. Fire insurance protects you against the loss by fire as well as the loss by water damage. A fire insurance policy in a reliable company with a reputation for fair dealing and promptness is your best protection. We represent only such companies.

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## Quite a Change.

In 1846 the taxable property of Fulton county was valued at \$758,603. Average value of land per acre, \$3.97 and the male population over 21 years of age, was 764. Hickman at that time had a population of 500. At that time Hickman could boast of two churches (one Episcopal and one free for all denominations,) 12 stores, 2 drug stores, 2 hotels, 4 physicians, 2 dentists, 6 lawyers, rectifying house 1 tan yard, 1 plough factory, 20 other mechanical shops and 1 newspaper, the Commercial Standard.

The exports for that year were 3600 hogheads of tobacco, 2000 bales of cotton, 200,000 bushels of corn, 50,000 bushels of wheat, 30,000 dozens of chickens and turkeys.

Think of the change.

Sam Salmon left Sunday for New Madrid.

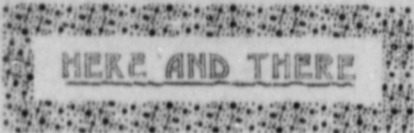
## DISHES

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Courier from now until Jan. 1st, 1911, for 25c.

Case & Son make prompt deliveries.—Phone 183.

Send the Courier to your friend away from home.

J. C. Hendrix has returned from a business in Southern Tennessee.

A fine new Upright Piano for sale at a bargain. See J. E. Fuqua, 3tc

FOR SALE: 2 good milk cows with young calves.—E. G. Maddox, 3

J. B. Housley and family left Friday for Nashville to spend a few days.

Watch for it—the greatest story ever run in the Courier will start some time in September.

The Hickman Courier and Weekly Commercial Appeal, both one year for \$1.25. Get them now.

Save from \$1 to \$2 a thousand and get a better shingle direct from our mill.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

Miss Stella Salmon who has been quiet ill at her home several days, returned to her work Tuesday at Sacramento.

Miss Effie Weaver, of Georgetown, Ky., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Virginia Beale, and other relatives. She arrived in Hickman last Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Salmon and little daughter, Miss Claudie, returned home Saturday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilson, of Calhoun, the latter's parents.

State election Commissioners last week appointed Chas. G. Alexander, Democrat and Frank U. Harris, Republican, election commissioners for Fulton county.

Patterson says that, first of all, he is for the Democratic party, and the Democratic party as he sees it, is composed of Ham, Dunc, Robin and the booze brigade.

No vacant business houses, no vacant dwelling houses in Hickman, notwithstanding the great demand for them. Surely this is a chance for somebody to get busy.

The ladies of the Methodist church are collecting all kinds of old paper which they expect to sell to a paper mill. If you have anything in this line to contribute, notify Mrs. Maggie Randle.

D. D. Carr, a prominent farmer of the Dukedom vicinity, had the misfortune to lose his tobacco barn and tobacco Wednesday night by fire. He had just filled the barn and began firing, and it caught and totally destroyed it.

Now-a-days when people want anything they look in the newspapers to find where to get it. If they want the services of a painter, a carpenter, a plasterer, or any other mechanic of tradesman, they expect to find a card in the paper. They look for it. If they find one the advertiser gets a job. Judicious advertising pays.

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Notice Taxpayers!

State, County, School and Levee Taxes for the year 1910, are now due and payable. Meet me or one of my deputies at the Hickman Bank, Hickman, Ky., or the City National Bank, at Fulton, Ky. Pay now and avoid the rush.

Goldier Johnson, Sheriff.

Big Show Coming.

The W. I. Swain Show Company, known as the biggest, oldest and best equipped show of its kind in America will be in Hickman for one week commencing Monday Sept. 12 giving big city production under the largest rainproof pavilion ever constructed for similar purposes. W. I. Swain is the pioneer of this class of amusement, having branched out independently of the theatrical trust some years ago. Private railroad equipment independent lighting plant, private boxes and sofa seats, augmented orchestra and a band of solo musicians constitute some of the exclusive features of this enterprise. Their enormous seating capacity permits of moderate prices of admission and the merit of their productions fills the large capacity nightly.

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MOST SENSATIONAL ADVANCE  
RECORDED ON EXCHANGE.

Net Profit of \$2,000 on Every 100 Bales  
August Cotton—Bears Forced to  
Bid Fabulous Prices.

New York—he most sensational advance in cotton that has been recorded since the close of the Civil War occurred Monday on the local cotton exchange. Millions of dollars were made and lost in as many seconds. The gambling in cotton, if it may be so called, was devoted to what is known as August deliveries. William P. Brown, who led the aggressive bull movement, is said to have cleared up somewhere between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000 on the day's transactions, but Mr. Brown is a clean cut, well built, courteous Southerner with big brown mustache, and notwithstanding his gyrations in the cotton pit for a matter of three hours in the most strenuous day of the existence of the cotton exchange, he emerged from the ring without so much as a wilted collar.

More August cotton has been contracted for than could by any possible chance be delivered. When the market opened Monday morning both the bears and the bulls admitted the accuracy of this statement, and forthwith came a battle royal.

It is admitted that on every 100 bales of August cotton purchased at the price prevailing on Saturday there was a net profit of \$2,000.

The bears, driven to their wits' end to make good their contracts, were forced to bid what a few weeks ago would have been regarded as fabulous prices for the Southern staple. The bulls, represented by William P. Brown, Frank B. Hayn, Eugene G. Scales and one or two others who maintain a minor position in the bull clique, were confident of their position, having in the port of New York, in docks and in storage warehouses and in transit to this city somewhere between 100,000 and 125,000 bales of this most valuable commodity.

### MAY BE APPALLING DISASTER

Whole Upper St. Mary's Valley is  
Fire-Circled.

Spokane, Wash.—Disaster as appalling as that which swept the region of Wallace and Avery a week ago threatens the whole of the valley of the Upper St. Mary's river in Northern Idaho.

Seven hundred men, employees of the Coeur d'Alene Timber Protective Association, are fighting fires that are eating into the heart of the timber. If a wind rises before the rain comes, nothing can save the timber.

These forests are probably the finest in the world, and all are patented. More homesteaders have deserted their claims and they were all warned by the association; it is improbable that all heeded the advice.

Bulte's Excellence flour is positively guaranteed by us.—Bettersworth & Prather.

## Owens Too Much Land.

The famous Miller estate in California has been augmented by the purchase of the Lax estate for \$500,000. Miller now owns 600,000 acres in California, 200,000 in Oregon. On this land there are 1,000 miles of canals and ditches, 250,000 head of cattle and 250,000 sheep. The estate cuts through the center of California embracing nearly a third of the best part of the state. It was secured largely through series of frauds. It appears that after all the bonanza farm is not a thing of the past.—Wynne, Ark. Progress.

This is too much land for one man to own. It ought to be divided and give hundreds of poor but deserving young farmers a chance to buy a small farm off it.

### POSTAL BANKS NOVEMBER 1

Trustees of System Are Planning to  
Install From Twenty-Five to  
Fifty on That Date.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The trustees of the postal savings bank system are arranging to install between 25 and 50 banks in as many sections of the country by the first of November.

The service at first afforded will necessarily be limited, in as much as congress appropriated only \$100,000 with which to inaugurate the whole system. Out of this sum the preliminary expenses, such as providing forms, stamps and instructions, must be paid. There will be little left for any other purpose.

### Celia Ordered to Washington.

New York, Aug. 30.—United States Judge Hough signed a warrant for the removal to Washington, D. C., of Louis A. Celia, the St. Louis millionaire, his brother Angelo, and Samuel W. Adler, who are alleged to have operated a bucket shop, in violation of the federal laws, in the District of Columbia.

### Doctor Dies at Patient's Bedside.

Sharon, Pa., Aug. 30.—At a bedside taking the temperature of a patient, Dr. Samuel C. Johnson dropped dead. The cause of his death was angina pectoris. Dr. Johnson was 57 years old.

## Fulton Firm Fails.

On last Saturday night at a late hour the large stock of confectionery goods, cigars, soda fountain and in fact the whole business of the firm of Lewis & Tucker fell into the hands of R. M. Chowning.

The public in general is very much in sympathy with the gentlemen composing the above named firm and sincerely hope that an adjustment of affairs can be brought about and that they can continue in business for they are both nice, clean, accommodating gentlemen, and a firm of this kind is needed in Fulton. We do not know the cause of the failure.

At this time the liabilities are given at \$8,100, and it is impossible to give the assets at this time with any degree of certainty.—Fulton Tribune.

## Local Chats

When in need of fire insurance, see Ascher Kennedy.

A fine girl arrived at the home of Louis Weatherly, Aug. 15.

202 guaranteed Fancy Patent. Try a sack.—Case & Son, Phone 183.

Jas. Jackson and wife, of Clinton, were guests of S. M. Naifeh and wife last week.

No bank of the city of Hickman seems to covet the designation for the postal savings bank privilege.

W. Y. Hammons returned to Itta Bena, Miss., last week after a visit with his sister, Mrs. J. S. Maddox.

Mr. Watterson could never have known how unpopular his position is on the prohibitory laws of the State if he had not written so much about it in the columns of the Courier-Journal. Very few, if any, of the State papers are with him in his position on whiskey in politics.

The case of Robin Cooper, charged with the murder of former United States Senator E. W. Carmack, has been set for trial at Nashville on November 19. Cooper has been convicted at a former trial, but the Supreme Court gave him a new trial. He is under a \$10,000 bond and is traveling in Europe.

Lige Oman was here from Tiptonville, Monday.

E. L. King and wife are back from a visit in Memphis.

Judge W. A. Naylor made a business trip to Fulton Tuesday.

Miss Hunt, of Covington, Tenn., is the guest of Miss Swann Naylor.

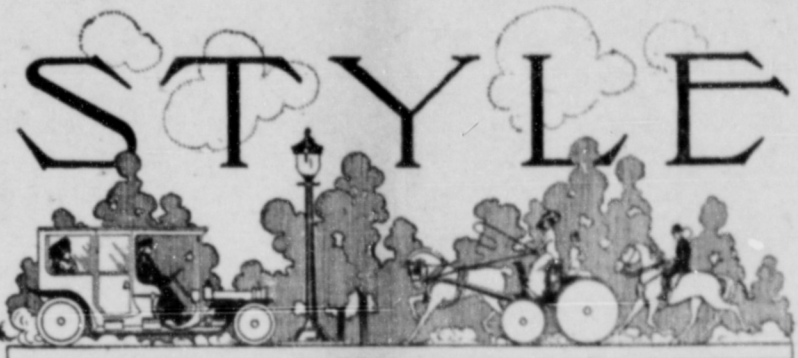
S. P. Henry and Henry Treas are spending a few days at Red Bolling Springs, Tenn.

Take out that insurance today. You may be next to burn out.—Kennedy, the Insurance Man.

J. L. Robinson and wife left last week for their home in New York, after a visit with Hickman relatives.

Lee Cruse, formerly of Marion, Ky., has been nominated for Governor of Oklahoma by the Democrats. It matters not where Kentuckians go, they always come to the top.

G. W. Phelps was kicked in the face by a mule Thursday afternoon, resulting in the right side of his physiognomy being slightly twisted. It was necessary to take a few stitches in the wound, but G. W. don't seem to mind a little thing like that, and will continue in the mule business.



Style in clothes is that touch which gives them individuality and distinction. You will find it in the GOOD CLOTHES made to your measure by

Strauss Brothers  
MASTER TAILORS

whose local agency we have.  
Let us show you what real clothes satisfaction means.

E. R. ELLISON

### A Surprise Wedding.

Tuesday night at 10 o'clock, at the home of the bride, Miss Lucy E. Rice and Jas. W. Mayes, two of the popular young people of this section, were united in marriage, Rev. G. W. Wilson officiating. To say the least, the wedding came as a great surprise to the friends of the contracting parties. Only the immediate families of the couple witnessed the ceremony. After the serving of dainty refreshments, the happy couple boarded the train for St. Louis, Chicago and other points, where they will spend several days.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Rice, of near State Line, and is one of the sweetest and most charming little ladies of the county. That she will make the man of her choice a good wife goes without saying.

Mr. Mayes is one of the finest young men of our acquaintance—sober, honest, industrious and full of business. He owns one of the best farms in Fulton county, and knows how to manage it. He is a son of Mrs. Jno. Mayes and well known throughout this section.

The Courier wishes them all happiness possible.

Have you taken any stock in the Mississippi Valley Transportation Co. yet? Every citizen interested in Hickman should take at least one share at \$50. You pay \$15 down—balance in 18 months.

Your grocery order will receive prompt attention if telephoned to Bettersworth & Prather. Both phones.

All the usual services will be held at the Methodist Church next Sunday.

### In Memoriam.

Whereas, death has removed from our midst our friend and brother, Roland L. Amberg, who was about to enter upon a large field of usefulness in the practice of the law, having well qualified himself, for the same;

And whereas, he was an exemplary Christian character and a faithful and promising member of the Methodist Church and loved by all who knew him,

And whereas, he manifested an interest in our work, having met with and assisted us on various occasions;

Therefore, be it resolved:

First, that we, the Ministerial Association of Hickman, do hereby express our sincere regrets in that we have lost from our midst a character that had already accomplished much good and had promised to reach a greater degree of usefulness,

Second, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the Hickman Courier for publication, also a copy be furnished the Nashville Christian Advocate for publication and that a copy be sent to the family.

That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the association.

G. W. WILSON,  
W. G. STOCKTON,  
D. W. BRYANT,  
Committee.

An old lady was visiting some of her relatives in the city. When they were showing her the sights of the big town they came to a large building with a large sign on it which read: "Smith Manufacturing Co." When she saw this she exclaimed: "Now, look at that. I had always wondered where all the Smiths came from."

## Service and Safety

We offer you a complete banking service and provide absolute safety for your funds. We want your banking business, and whether your account be large or small, we will extend every consistent banking accommodation and will protect your interests with the same care and fidelity that we apply to our own. It is our business to receive and safeguard deposits; to loan money on proper security; to transmit money to other cities and countries; to collect notes, etc., and, in general, to render every financial service within the scope of a modern banking institution. Come in and see us when we can be of service to you.



Capital and Surplus, \$65,000.00

R. T. TYLER, Pres. W. C. REED, Cashier JOHN PYLE, Asst. Cashier

### DRINKS BLOOD OF VICTIM

Portuguese Merchant, a Human Vampire, Says He Followed Advice of Gypsy.

Lisbon, Aug. 30.—An actual human "vampire" is under arrest in Galizana, in the person of a merchant named Don Salcarrey. He is said to have confessed the murder of the young son of a blacksmith and to have drunk the child's blood.

In explanation, Salcarrey said he was a sufferer from pulmonary trouble, and that a gypsy advised the drinking of human blood fresh from the veins. The gypsy, he said, recited a number of curses thus effected. Salcarrey is believed to be insane.

### TAFT COASTS 90 MILES

President and Wife in Auto Speed  
Down Mountain Side From  
New Hampshire Town.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 30.—From the village of Dublin, tucked away in the New Hampshire foothills, President Taft coasted 90 miles down to Beverly and the sea level. The drop was nearly 1,500 feet and the president was whirled along in his automobile at a speed of from 30 to 35 miles an hour.

The route homie was both historic and picturesque. The president traveled over the road that the British used on their way to Concord, and he passed the spot where the tablet marks the end of the famous ride of Paul Revere.

At Dublin the president and Mrs. Taft and party were the guests of the secretary of the treasury and Mrs. MacVeagh.

Judge Ed Crossland, of Mayfield, left last week for Tulsa, Okla., to locate and continue the practice of his profession.

Call at the Hickman Furniture Co. for anything you want in furniture.

### Killed in Runaway.

John Shaw, of Samburg, was fatally injured in a runaway at Union City Sunday night, dying from his injuries about noon Monday.

Mr. Shaw, who was a merchant at Samburg, had figured quite frequently in the night rider raids in that vicinity, and at one time having been forced to furnish the oil and set fire to the fish docks at Samburg, had just driven into the city, when the harness gave way, the horse becoming frightened and starting to run.

Mr. Shaw was thrown from the buggy with such force that the back of his skull was fractured. He was taken to a physician's office, where he remained until his death without ever regaining consciousness. Early Monday morning it was decided by the physicians that an operation would be necessary for even the slightest hope of his recovery, but he died before the operation could be completed.

Besides having been forced to fire the docks, Mr. Shaw was on two occasions whipped by the night riders and forced to give up an interest in the West Tennessee Land Company, which claims to own the lake, under the penalty of death if he failed to do so.

He was well known in Hickman.

Our 20c coffee is a world-beater—try it.—Bettersworth & Prather.

Get the Best photos while you can. By Gish.

"Man wants but little here below. He's not so hard to please. But woman, bless her little heart, Wants everything she sees."

More new residences needed.

## WHY DEAL HERE?

- B—Thoroughly dependable stock
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- A—Jewelry of every conceivable sort
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- S—Watches of all reliable makes
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SCHLENKER—The Jeweler

## TENNESSEE STATE FAIR

NASHVILLE, SEPTEMBER 19th-24th.

One fare plus 25c for round trip over

N. C. & St. L. Ry.

Tickets on sale September 17-24 inclusive. Good until Sept. 26, 1910.

One of the Greatest State Fairs ever held. DON'T MISS IT.

## Running Water in Your House and Barn Every Day in the Year

All the conveniences and comforts of best city water system, can now be had anywhere. You can have an abundance of water delivered under strong pressure, to all fixtures and hydrants. No water bills and repairs; and the plant is almost everlasting.

Every Kewanee System is installed at our risk, not yours. To avoid unsuccessful water systems, insist upon the genuine Kewanee pneumatic tank and system manufactured by us. Look for our trade mark and name plates on tank and pumping machinery. Get the genuine and you will take no chances. We guarantee that.

The best and most efficient water supply will be yours if you install the Kewanee System of Water Supply

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With the Kewanee System, the tank is located in the cellar, or buried in the ground. This tank is made of steel plates and will last almost indefinitely. The Kewanee tank all extraneous in weather; will not leak, freeze, overflow or collapse. In the Kewanee system, pumping the water creates the air pressure. For pumping the water any kind of steam, windmills, gasoline engine, electricity, power, hot air, or any other kind of suitable power.

Our Guarantee Every Kewanee System is guaranteed to give a first-class water supply and to do everything we claim for it. If it fails return it at our expense and your money will be refunded. We take all the risk.

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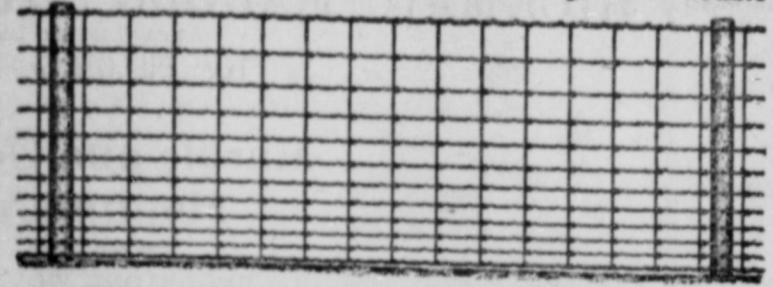
Ask for Our 64-Page Catalog Let us show you how you can have a Kewanee Water Supply System in your house. Our catalog is beautifully illustrated and shows the many advantages of the Kewanee System over the old elevated tanks. Get our catalog from our dealer and ask him which Kewanee System you should install.

For Sale by

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## Stands Like a Stone Wall

Turns Cattle, Horses, Hogs—Is Practically Indestructible



## AMERICAN FENCE

Buy your new fence for years to come. Get the big, heavy wires, the hinge joint, the good galvanizing, the exactly proportioned quality of steel that is not too hard nor too soft.

We can show you this fence in our stock and explain its merits and superiority, not only in the roll but in the field.

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**WE** are determined to make this Falls Business the biggest in our history, and just for a starter we have on hand a car of some special sizes of AMERICAN FENCE, that we will give you an extra 10% better price than you have been getting. Call and let us explain how we can do it. Keep your eye on the Gun now as we are certainly going to wake things up along all lines of Hardware, Stoves, Queensware, Buggies, Wagons and Wheat Drills.

## Hickman Hardware Company

—INCORPORATED—

### Do a little advertising.

Special attention is called to the announcement of the Obion County Fair, in this issue, which will begin Wednesday, Sept. 14, and continue 4 days. Present indications are that this will be the best fair ever held in that county, which is saying a good deal. The officers ask us to state that people of Hickman and vicinity have a special invitation to be present every day, and guarantee us a good time all the way through.

V. L. Doonnell was in Union City last Wednesday.

Harry Holcombe and family came in Saturday to visit his mother and other relatives.

A well known planter informs us that cotton picking will begin some time this month, in this vicinity.

Cotton reached 20c Monday—the highest price since the civil war. This was the quotation for September delivery.

### Mrs. Spann Dead.

Mrs. E. P. Spann, of this city, died Saturday after a three weeks' illness of stomach trouble, and the remains were taken to Greenfield, Tenn., for burial Sunday.

Deceased is survived by her husband and three small children, who have resided here for about three years. Mr. Spann is an employee of the Hickman Wagon Co. Beyond the fact that the family came here from Greenfield and are highly respected in this city, we are unable to give further particulars.

The bereaved husband and little ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

### Mott's Nervine Pills

The great nerve and brain treatment for men and women, produces strength and vitality, builds up the system and renews the normal vigor. For sale by druggists or by mail, \$1 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.—Hickman Drug Co., Incorporated.

Time to get busy.

What has become of the new railroad?

A cotton gin will be operated at Mabel this fall.

Mrs. E. L. King, of Clayton, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. S. M. Nafteh.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Scates, of Union City, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Parham Sunday.

Geo. G. Clark, the mule buyer of Mayfield, was here Tuesday and purchased a few mules.

The Courier has put on 41 new subscribers during the month of August. That's not so bad.

The Home Telephone Co. has installed a booth and pay station at the LoCade Hotel—the only one in Hickman.

Sheriff Goulder Johnson, Deputy J. R. Goulder and Geo. Evans made a raid on a big craps game down on the levee Saturday afternoon and caught 21 white boys and men and one negro rolling the "bones." They have the names of nine others, who will also be brought before Judge Naylor in due time.

### THE SIMPLIFYING SPELL

Spelling long words oft reminds us We could make each page sub-line But each inspiration finds us More than puzzled half the time.

Ort we stumble over saucer, Asking: "Is it 'e' or 'o'?"

In the grand old days of Chaucer No such frets as this could be.

From old Chile to Siberia Countless pens are held in air

While folk try to spell diphtheria. And give up, and pause to swear.

Let us break the galling fetters With which now our hands are bound; Emulate our alpha-bettors— Let us spell things as they sound.

What? It does not interest you?

You would keep things as they are? You are anxious to suggest you Think we're apt to go too far?

Spelling's real; spelling's earnest; Dialect must be its goal, And whichever way thou turnest Newer forms are seen to roll.

Let us get up competitions, Give out words involved and long, With the high and prized positions For the ones who spell them wrong.

Webster, Johnson, Murray, Worcester— Let us put them out of print; Let us each one be a booster— Let us misspell without stint.

Ten years in the future, maybe, We will have it all worked through, So that any little baby Can spell what it wants with "Goo."

Lexicographers—we'll do it! We'll attain that goal, and then Take each language and go through it And misspell the words again.

WILBUR D. NESBIT.

Doing hard work in a bent or stooping position puts a stitch in the back that is painful. If the muscles have become strained, you can't get rid of it without help. The great penetrating power of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT will appeal to you most strongly at such times, because it is the very thing you need. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

LOTS FOR SALE: I have 7 good lots in West Hickman which I will sell singly or as a whole.—L. P. Ellison.

An Atlanta man has sued a druggist for \$25,000 because his wife's toes were scarred and their "beauty" destroyed by some corn medicine represented to be harmless.

Rev. A. Turkington who recently resigned as pastor of the Hickman Baptist church, left Tuesday for Dayton, Ohio, to make his future home. The good wishes of the friends of Rev. and Mrs. Turkington follow them to their new home.

Call at the Hickman Furniture Co. for anything you want in furniture.

## 8th ANNUAL KENTUCKY STATE FAIR

(THE STATE'S "SHOW WINDOW")

6 Big Days and Nights—Fire Works—Music—Races Horse Show and Hippodrome Each Night.

For further information or catalogue, write

J. W. NEWMAN, Secretary.

LOUISVILLE, SEPT. 12 TO 17<sup>TH</sup> 1910.

## Buy Ice Coupon Books

AND SAVE 10 PER CENT ON YOUR ICE BILL

No ice will be charged. The drivers will either collect cash or coupons. Don't expect them to credit you, for they will be charged with each book, and will have to account for the ice they take out for delivery.

This rule will not apply to soda fountains, butcher shops, fish docks and other large users of ice, as their accounts will be on file at our office.

**Hickman Ice & Coal Co.**  
(INCORPORATED.)

J. T. DILLON, Manager.



As Comfortable as Bare Feet

## Solastic

Perfect foot protection for women with cornless comfort hitherto unknown. Not a pinch—not a rub—pliant, flexible, tough soles and splendid foot-fitting style. Most for the money.



CUSTOM MADE BY

Wertheimer-Swartz Shoe Co.

ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.

# Sulphur Springs

Good Music and Dancing. Free Swings. Fine Spring Water. Electric Lights, Telephone, etc. Good things to eat and drink. Ten minutes walk or nice drive. Cool, pleasant. Admission Free  
PERCY JONES, Manager.

# Thursd'y Night

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A. H. Leet, Prop.  
Best of Milk and Butter delivered.  
Home Phone No. 27.

**McMURRY & FLAT**  
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Hickman, Ky.

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Groceries  
City Delivery; both phones No. 28.  
"Best of Everything"

**HICKMAN FURNITURE CO.**  
Funeral Directors and Embalmers.  
Phone 20, night or day.  
Hickman, Ky.

**DR. E. M. CRUTCHFIELD.**  
—Dentist—  
Davidson's old stand. Phone No. 2  
Hickman, Ky.

**HICKMAN HARNESS CO.**  
A. J. Wright, Manager.  
Makers and Dealers in Harness.  
Repair Work a Specialty.

## A. M. TYLER

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Will practice in all Courts  
of the State.

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Office with  
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We are Agents for the

## OLDEST

Insurance Companies  
in Hickman

They are companies that have  
been here longer than any other.  
Is your property insured?  
It is too late when the alarm  
sounds to think of a policy.

Do it NOW

R. T. TYLER, Agent

## LEAVE

## LAUNDRY

—AT—

Bradley & Parham's

Basket leaves every  
Tuesday afternoon

Best Work Lowest Prices

## Power Over Illness

Don't criticize your doctor  
because medicine prescribed  
by him fails to have the de-  
sired effect. The prescrip-  
tion may have been good,  
but the ingredients dispensed  
poor. Give the doctor a fair  
show by taking his prescrip-  
tions to a druggist who makes  
a point of dispensing only  
pure drugs of right potency  
—drugs that have the power  
to overcome illness.

Tested drugs only are  
used here, and skilled phar-  
macists do the compounding.  
You should have the best  
procurable when combating  
sickness.

**Cowgill's Drug Store**

(Incorporated)

## Heard On the Streets

Schmidt, the Tailor.

Fulton has a carnival.

Ernest Newton was in Union City  
Sunday.

Rep. F. S. Moore was in Union City  
Tuesday.

W. A. Dodds and wife were in Ful-  
ton, Sunday.

FOR SALE: 50 good brood ewes.  
—Isaac Shuff. 6c

S. D. Luten and wife motored to  
Fulton Sunday.

MOVING PICTURES at the Lyric  
Saturday night.

All work satisfactory or money re-  
turned.—Schmidt.

Fall and winter samples are here.  
—Schmidt, the tailor.

C. P. Shumate made a business trip  
to Nashville, Tuesday.

Read our special offer and quit  
borrowing the Courier.

S. M. Naifeh will leave for the St.  
Louis markets, Sunday.

Hickman Furniture Co., headquar-  
ters for undertakers goods.

Born to the wife of John Moore,  
Monday night, a daughter.

Telephone 183 for your wants in  
the grocery line.—Case & Son.

H. H. Green is confined to his  
bed with a "spell of rheumatiz."

Cypress Shingles, \$1 a thousand at  
mill.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

Fancy Browns and Grays are the  
latest for fall and winter.—Schmidt.

If you want to buy a farm or town  
property, call at the Courier office.

Mrs. C. H. Moore visited Mrs.  
Wright Phebus, at Union City, last  
week.

The best flour in Hickman—Bulte's  
Excellence—at Betterworth & Pra-  
ther's.

A. A. Faris returned last week from  
Hot Springs, Ark., where he spent  
two weeks.

Mrs. B. Parham left Tuesday for  
Anna, Ills., to visit friends and at-  
tend the fair.

S. J. Self has returned from a vis-  
it to his nephew, J. W. Robertson,  
at Van Lear, Tenn.

P. B. Davis and wife, and Mrs.  
Albritten, of Jackson, Tenn., are vis-  
iting Mrs. M. F. Naylor.

The Courier's "Want Column" is  
sure to find you a buyer. Costs 1c  
for each word. Try it.

We don't show anything offensive  
at the Lyric. It is especially for the  
ladies.—J. T. Dillon, Prop.

Austin Wilson left Tuesday for  
Martin to enter McFerrin school,  
which opened Wednesday.

We want all the local news. If  
you cannot see a reporter, call No.  
21—Cumberland or Home phone.

C. F. Dickey returned to his home  
at Winn, Ark., Sunday after a short  
visit with J. E. Fuqua and family.

Don't let your property go with-  
out insurance. Its poor business.—  
See Kennedy the Insurance Man.

Miss Carrie Griggs left for her  
home in Columbus, yesterday, after  
a visit with Miss Marie Brevard.

Be careful how your clothes are  
cleaned and pressed. Have Schmidt,  
the tailor, to do it and be on the safe  
side.

At the home of Sam Brittain, one-  
half mile west of Fulton, Walter Ker-  
sey, age 40 years, died of tuberculo-  
sis, Sunday.

E. S. Cruce, a prominent farmer  
of the Cayce neighborhood, was in  
town on business Saturday. Mr.  
Cruce is raising his first crop of cot-  
ton and reports the crop looking fine.

Watch for the BLUE MARK on  
the upper right hand corner of your  
Courier. It is to notify you that your  
subscription is about to expire. No  
papers are sent out after the sub-  
scription is out.

The Home Telephone Co. continues  
to add new names to its list of sub-  
scribers every month, and now has  
about 100 subscribers. Their income  
now exceeds their fixed expenses by  
about \$40 a month.

## Right



The International Tailoring  
Co. of New York and Chicago  
have this to say about every  
suit or overcoat made by them:

"WE GUARANTEE  
EVERY GARMENT  
TO BE RIGHT  
IF IT IS NOT RIGHT  
YOU HAVE  
NO RIGHT  
TO TAKE IT."

That is the RIGHT way to do  
things and here is the RIGHT  
place to come for good clothes  
at popular prices.

## MILLET & ALEXANDER

## The Wagon Factory.

The new office building and paint  
shops and warehouse for the Hick-  
man Wagon Co. is about completed  
and Col. Dodds informs a Courier man  
that they expect to do some chang-  
ing up the latter part of the week.

The paint shops, which have been  
in East Hickman for a number of  
years, will be moved into new quar-  
ters. Heretofore all wagons had to  
be hauled to East Hickman for paint-  
ing, which necessitated a great ex-  
pense, and being finished there, they  
were, of course, shipped from that  
point. If shipped by boat it was  
necessary to haul them back again.  
By the present arrangement, wagons  
will be made complete almost under  
the same roof, and put aboard the  
cars right out of the warehouse, a  
new switch having been built for this  
purpose.

The office will also be moved to  
the new room built for the purpose  
under the warehouse roof. With  
bank fixtures and all modern con-  
veniences, it will be one of the most  
complete and up-to-date offices in the  
city.

If Dodds ever did do things by  
halves, he has quit that way of do-  
ing. The factory is getting improve-  
ments and new machinery wherever  
it is half-way needed. Not only is  
the plant being made better, but the  
wagons are being made better. A bet-  
ter lot of timber and workmanship  
doesn't go into any wagon made. If  
a man is skeptical about the material  
that goes into a Hickman wagon  
he should visit the factory and see  
the wagons in process of making.  
We feel sure that the management  
will be glad to show you through. It  
will convince you that their product  
is not sappy or "pecky" timber cov-  
ered with paint. You will also see  
a busy and interesting place.

The company is not only making  
wagons, but selling them. Mr. Dodds  
inaugurated a real live advertising  
campaign throughout their immediate  
territory, putting advertisements in  
most of nearby local papers (includ-  
ing the Great Religious Weekly,  
which you are now reading, and  
which contains one of those ads that  
will interest you if you need a wag-  
on) and new business is coming from  
all directions. Foreman Hertweck  
says it begins to look like the 10-  
hour day will not be sufficient to  
take care of their increasing orders,  
but assures us that the trade will  
be looked after if it is necessary to  
run all night. A gentleman drove 40  
miles Saturday to get a Hickman  
wagon, but the factory was closed  
when he got here. Bright and early  
Sunday morning the man hunted up  
the wagon men, only to learn that  
some were church members, others  
Democrats, and they rather hesitated  
about rolling out a wagon on the  
Sabbath. It is evident, however, that  
there is one man in the firm that  
sees no harm in getting the "ox out  
of the ditch," because the customer  
got home that night in new Hickman  
wagon in time to take his family to

church.

All this just goes to show that  
folks are taking to the Hickman wag-  
on—that they're going to have them.  
We are glad to see the business  
growing. It's a splendid enterprise  
and worth much to Hickman.

FOR SALE: Best Business  
property in Hickman.

One 2-story building 24x  
99 one, one story building 20  
x99, on Jackson St. one door  
west of Hickman Courier. If  
not sold privately will be sold  
at auction on Monday Sept.  
19, 1910. For other infor-  
mation see W. J. Barry at the  
building.

## Notice.

To all persons indebted to us on  
past due accounts and notes, take  
notice we will ask for judgment un-  
less promptly attended to without  
further notice.

Respt.,  
NAYLOR MERC. CO.

## Klenke Gets Raise.

W. H. Klenke, formerly of Hick-  
man, but now of Caruthersville, Mo.,  
has been transferred by his com-  
pany, The Metropolitan Life Insur-  
ance Co., to the new territory in or-  
der to enlarge the possibilities of  
one of its best agents. Mr. Klenke  
is Assistant Superintendent for the  
company, and was one of the rep-  
resentatives making the highest re-  
cord in a recent competitive contest.

## Bugg Not Presiding.

Judge Bugg is not presiding over  
the circuit court at Wickliffe this  
week, he deeming it wise to contin-  
ue his rest through the hot weather.  
The court at Wickliffe is presided  
over by Judge W. P. Sandidge, of  
Russellville. It is not yet known  
whether he will hold the September  
term of the Fulton Circuit Court.

Secure an Education.

The State Normal School at Bow-  
ling Green, Ky., offers an excellent  
opportunity to young people desir-  
ing an education. The Fall Session  
opens September 6, 1910. Write  
for information.

The COURIER for the news.

## WORTH MOUNTAINS OF GOLD

During Change of Life,  
says Mrs. Chas. Barclay

Graniteville, Vt.—"I was passing  
through the Change of Life and suffered  
from nervousness and other annoy-  
ing symptoms, and I can truly say that  
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-  
pound has proved worth mountains  
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and strength. I never forget to tell  
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Vegetable Compound has done for me  
during this trying period. Complete  
restoration to health means so much  
to me that for the sake of other suf-  
fering women I am willing to make my  
trouble public so you may publish  
this letter."—Mrs. CHAS. BARCLAY,  
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No other medicine for woman's ills  
has received such wide-spread and un-  
qualified endorsement. No other med-  
icine we know of has such a record  
of cures of female ills as has Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.  
For more than 30 years it has been  
curing female complaints such as  
inflammation, ulceration, local weak-  
nesses, fibroid tumors, irregularities,  
periodic pains, backache, indigestion  
and nervous prostration, and it is  
unequaled for carrying women safely  
through the period of change of life.  
It costs but little to try Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and,  
as Mrs. Barclay says, it is "worth moun-  
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placed. Inside this there is also a  
shield finished with a small standing  
collar. Both the shield and the stand-  
ing collar may be omitted if desired.  
The sleeves are of bishop design and  
may be worn long or short. They  
are finished by a shaped band fastened  
with a button. The skirt is plainly  
gathered all around the waist and is  
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"Your sister's grand piano," said  
the young man who was waiting in  
the parlor, "has a mahogany case,  
hasn't it?"

"No, it ain't mahogany, Mr. Spoon-  
more," answered Tommy. "I think it's  
maple; it's what they call a baby  
grand, you know."



JUDGE WISE.

Business Philosopher.

"Fate pays little attention to Life's  
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"Now's the time to sow your tur-  
nips. We have just received a big  
shipment of seed embracing all the  
good varieties—in bulk. The prices  
are right. Better hurry."

## DAILY DIET HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN  
Food Specialist.

FOODS WHICH DIGEST HAR-  
MONIOUSLY.

Some foods are especially in-  
harmonious, such as milk and  
meat or beans and apples, be-  
cause meat and beans digest  
principally in the stomach, and  
apples and milk principally in  
the intestines. All cereals are  
compatible, all acid fruits, all  
sugar fruits, all vegetables hav-  
ing tap roots (turnips, rad-  
ishes, parsnips), all green vege-  
tables (lettuce, cabbage, celery,  
etc.). Bread and milk are not  
especially harmonious, but the  
bread, especially if stale, breaks  
up the curds of the milk, which  
are difficult to digest when  
taken in the form of sweet milk  
(buttermilk is better). The  
system must adjust itself to  
the digestion of each particular  
food, and when several are pre-  
sented at once the digestive  
problem is proportionately com-  
plicated. It has been shown  
by Pavlov, the Russian chemist,  
that the system secretes the  
particular digestive fluid re-  
quired by each particular food  
eaten.

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## Churches and Lodges

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Preaching every Sunday morning at  
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Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
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Mass every morning at 7 o'clock.  
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morning, except the second Sunday of  
each month. Friends and visitors  
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Regular services at the Baptist  
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have a cordial invitation to attend all  
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Preaching on the 2nd and 4th Sun-  
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day School at 2:30 in the afternoon.  
Prayer meeting Friday evenings.—  
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Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A.  
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2nd and 4th Monday nights.

Elm Camp No. 3, W. O. W., meets  
at the I. O. O. F. Hall every Wednes-  
day evening.

Household No. 5, C. W., meets at  
the I. O. O. F. Hall Tuesday evening  
of each week.

Fulton Lodge No. 83, I. O. O. F.,  
meets at their hall on Clinton street  
every other Thursday night.

M. W. A. meets at Masonic Hall  
every Tuesday evening.

## RIGHTS DENIED STRIKERS

MAY HAVE NO DISCUSSION OR MEETING PLACE.

Indiana Judge Virtually Forbids Railroad Machinists Talking of Affairs.

Washington, Ind., Aug. 30.—Judge Houghton of the circuit court, sitting in chambers, issuing a restraining order against the striking machinists recently in the employ of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad. The order is said to be the most sweeping ever issued in the state, even prohibiting the strikers from maintaining a picket line or headquarters in which to congregate.

It bars interference with the strike breakers for the purpose of seeking members for the union, forbids conversation with any members of a strike breaker's family and puts a ban on any sort of assembling.

In fact, it virtually forbids the discussion of strike matters by the strikers. The document covers 12 pages of typewritten paper and deals with the story of the strike from its inception, recounting the many alleged acts of violence.

## ELECTIONS SEPT. 6 AND 12

Will Be First Measuring of Strength of Political Parties in the East.

Boston, Aug. 30.—The political attention of the country gradually is being focused on New England, where, early in September, the first measuring of strength between the Republican and Democratic parties in the state elections of 1910 will take place.

Vermont, on September 6, and Maine, on September 12, will select state officers and indicate their preferences for representatives in congress. In each state also there will be chosen members of the legislature, who, in turn, will elect a member of the United States senate.

On the same day as the Vermont election, New Hampshire will hold her first state-wide primaries and the first under a direct primary law affecting an entire state to be held in the East. Massachusetts will hold primaries on September 27.

State conventions will be held in Connecticut in September and Massachusetts and Rhode Island in October.

Remember we have moved temporarily into the Barry building.—Hickman Plumbing & Thinning.

## Wiggs in Jail.

O. L. Wiggs, a resident of this city and a well known shoe salesman, was arrested in St. Louis last Thursday afternoon by Detectives Kenna and Ferle, on a charge of embezzlement and forgery, made by a business man of this city.

Sheriff Goulder Johnson went to St. Louis after Wiggs and returned with him Monday evening. In default of bond, he was placed in the county jail to await trial, which will be had at the September term of Fulton Circuit Court. Mr. Wiggs returned without requisition papers, and claims that he will be able to explain everything.

There seems to be considerable worthless paper along his trail of the past few days. It is alleged that among other things, he drew a check on the Washington bank of St. Louis payable to himself, for \$1,995.10 and signed the name of Hamburger Bros. to it—a shoe firm which he has been representing. Being unable to cash the check, it is said a well known Hickman lawyer advanced him \$50 and held the check as security. Investigation proved that the check was worth considerably less than the \$50.

T. N. Threlkeld, of Cairo, formerly clerk on the Steamer Liberty, is one of the last and least complainants. He writes that he met Mr. Wiggs while running on that boat when it came to Hickman; that a few days ago he accommodated Mr. Wiggs with a five spot and took his check on the Farmers & Merchants Bank, of Hickman. The check came back to him marked "no funds."

Other rumors would indicate that the Hamburger Shoe Co. will come up about \$600 or \$800 short, and that this gentleman is wanted worse in Missouri than in Kentucky.

Mr. Wiggs has resided here about five years, and married a Hickman girl.

To what extent he is involved will not be known until the matter is given a legal sifting. At any rate, Mr. Wiggs will have to face serious charges in September.

When Schmidt makes you a suit he keeps it pressed FREE for two months.

## THREATEN LIFE OF WITNESS

Theophil Reuther Says Ostermann Tried to Kill Him.

Chicago, Ill.—Resumption of the hearing of charges against Frank B. Harriman, Charles L. Ewing and John M. Taylor, former Illinois Central railroad officials, accused of car repair frauds, developed sensational evidence in Judge Bruggemeyer's division of the municipal court. Theophil Reuther, a former director of the Ostermann Manufacturing Company, one of the repair firms charged with grafting from the railroad, declared on the witness stand that he had been told that the late Ira G. Rawn held 2,000 shares of the Ostermann Company stock.

Reuther testified that Ostermann said he gave Rawn the shares in consideration of an order for 10,000 car doors.

Previously to giving this evidence regarding the alleged stock transaction, Reuther related a story of an encounter with Ostermann, during which he declared that Ostermann threatened to kill him if he told of the transactions between the Illinois Central railroad and the Ostermann company.

### Sells 1,300 Bales.

Little Rock, Ark.—John F. Boyle Jr., a Little Rock cotton dealer, sold through his New York agent 1,300 bales of cotton at a net profit of \$20,000.

### Kids Carried Shells; Fathers Fought.

Lawton, Okla.—John Bewely is probably fatally wounded and Ben Rawls, his son and Ira Jordan are less seriously wounded as a result of a battle near Walter, in which more than forty shots were fired. The small children of Bewely and Rawls carried ammunition to the warring sides during the fight. The trouble was over a well, each family claiming the right to it exclusively. Bewely is said to have opened the fight when young Rawls and Ben Jordan started to pass his house.

### Asleep 110 Hours.

Gainesville, Ga.—After sleeping 110 hours without regaining consciousness, Julian Bryce, the 5-year-old son of Mrs. Ethel Bryce, is now lying at his home in this condition, the attending physicians being unable to diagnose the case. On last Thursday at noon young Bryce complained of headache and lay down to rest. He soon fell asleep and has not awakened. Doctors think that he is brain trouble, due to overstudy. Little hope is held for his recovery.

### Six Fly in Biplane.

Lille, France.—Louis Preget, the aviator, took up five passengers in his

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Secretary.

## The Sabbath Question.

This subject is recognized by divine and civil governments as one of much importance to all communities; and circumstances here make it especially so to Hickman and vicinity. Disregard for the Sabbath has become so extensive, and with many, the law seems to be dead in its records.

With a hope of reaching people through the press as well as from the pulpit, I now purpose furnishing the Hickman Courier with two or three articles and thus try to encourage among our people a more healthy sentiment.

This first article will be confined to the Bible presentation of the subject so it may be rather dry, even to careful land interested readers, yet I insist upon a thoughtful consideration of it. I wish to impress the readers with the emphasis God, Himself, through His word, puts upon the subject, and my statement shall be clear, concise and, I hope, helpful to all who want to know the truth. There is much scripture upon the subject, but I give only a few passages.

The original institution of the Sabbath is seen in Gen. 2:1-3, "Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them. On the seventh day God ended His work which He had made; and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had made. And God blessed the seventh day and sanctified it, because that in it He had rested from all His work which God created and made." Ex. 20:11, "For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day; wherefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day, and hallowed it." Then we find in many passages traces of its observance in the patriarchal period. Then in the travels of Israel through the wilderness God miraculously supplied the people each day with sufficient bread for one day, until the sixth day when he supplied enough for two days; and God instructed Moses to say to the people—Ex. 16: 22-30, "Six days ye shall gather it; but on the seventh day, which is the Sabbath, in it there shall be none. See, for that the Lord hath given you the Sabbath, therefore He

giveth you on the sixth day the bread of two days; abide ye every man in his place, let no man go out of his place on the seventh day."

Then the Sabbath was enjoined at Sinai, Deut. 5:12-13-14, "Keep the Sabbath day to sanctify it, as the Lord thy God has commanded thee. Six days thou shalt labour, and do all thy work. But the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God; in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son nor thy daughter, nor thy man-servant, nor thy maid-servant, nor thine ox, nor thine ass, nor any of thy cattle, nor the stranger that is within thy gates."

Get its national significance in Ex. 31:13-16, "Speak thou also unto the children of Israel, saying, Varily my Sabbaths ye shall keep, for it is a sign between me and you throughout your generations; that ye may know that I am the Lord that doth sanctify you. Wherefore the children of Israel shall keep the Sabbath, to observe the Sabbath throughout their generations for perpetual covenant." Ezek. 20:11-12-20, "Moreover also I gave them my Sabbath, to be a sign between me and them, that they might know that I am the Lord that sanctify them. And hallow my Sabbaths; and they shall be a sign between me and you, that ye may know that I am the Lord your God." Here God states that the Sabbath is intended to serve as a sign of the covenant between Him and His people, and that they might know Him as their God, and obey His statutes and judgments, and so live in them. Then who can estimate its importance, and who can afford to disregard the Sabbath? It was to be a day of holy rest, and convocation for worship as seen in Lev. 23: 3, "Six days shall work be done, but the seventh day is the Sabbath of rest, a holy convocation, ye shall do no work therein." Blessings were promised in its observance, Isa. 56:2, "Blessed is the man that doeth this . . . that keepeth the Sabbath from polluting it, . . . ." Warnings were given against its violation, Jer. 17:27, "But if ye will not hearken unto me to hallow the Sabbath day, and not to bear a burden, even entering in at the gates of Jerusalem on the Sabbath day (to sell and buy goods) then will I kindle a fire in the gates thereof, and it shall devour the palaces of Jerusalem, and it shall not be quenched." Ex. 31:14, "Ye shall

keep the Sabbath therefore, for it is holy unto you. Everyone that defileth it shall surely be put to death; for whosoever doeth any work therein that soul shall be cut off from among his people." This severity was necessary to impress upon those people and upon the coming generations, the sacredness of the Sabbath with its eternal benefits.

This became one of the ten commandments, and is so recognized in the New Testament, where its sacredness and obligations are repeated. Christ taught, by precept and example that the Sabbath was a day for holy rest and worship, and that on it works of necessity and charity and relief of the distressed were allowed.

So God's people all through the ages have observed this sacred institution, as of divine appointment; and in our day though its adversaries may mock and defame it, God's people should the more earnestly observe it, and be loyal to their Lord and His cause.

G. W. WILSON.

### PILES! PILES!

Williams' Indian Pile Ointment, will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Sold by Hickman Drug Co., 50c and \$1. Williams' Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, Ohio.

Our mill is running every day. You will not be disappointed if you come to our mill for shingles.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

An exchange says: An editor and his wife disagree with each other materially. She sets things to right and he writes things to set. She reads what others write and he writes what others read. She keeps the devil out of the house as much as possible, and he retains him and could not go to press without him. She knows more than he writes and he writes more than she knows.

I guarantee all plumbing and tinning I do. If the work don't come up right—and I can't out-talk you—we will cheerfully do the job over—just like any other plumber.—Cotton.

## "Sure Cure"

"I would like to guide suffering women to a sure cure for female troubles," writes Mrs. R. E. Mercer, of Frozen Camp, W. Va. "I have found no medicine equal to Cardui. I had suffered for about four years. Would have headache for a week at a time, until I would be nearly crazy. I took Cardui and now I never have the headache any more."

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The pains from which many women suffer every month are unnecessary. It's not safe to trust to strong drugs, right at the time of the pains.

Better to take Cardui for a while, before and after, to strengthen the system and cure the cause. This is the sensible, the scientific, the right way. Try it.

FOR SALE: Mulberry posts; 2 log wagons; small delivery mule. If you want to talk trade, see Fred Hayden.

The examining trial of John Keesucker, who shot and instantly killed Martin Leonard while Leonard was in the act of cutting Keesucker's mother with a knife at Samburg Aug. 14, was held before four magistrates at Samburg Thursday, resulting in acquittal, the magistrates being unanimous in their opinion that he was justifiable. Keesucker also accidentally shot his brother, who later died, and a woman, who was not seriously injured.

Anything you want that we haven't got in Furniture we will be glad to order it for you.—Hickman Furniture Company.

## Household Hints.

Rain water and soap will remove machine grease from washable fabrics.

Fresh meat beginning to sour will sweeten if placed out of odors in the air over night.

Boiling starch is much improved by the addition of sperm or salt, or both, or a little gum arabic dissolved.

Milk which has changed may be rendered fit for use again by stirring in a little soda.

Fish may be scale easily by first dipping them into boiling water for a minute.

Applying kerosene with a rag when you are about to put your stoves away for the summer, will prevent them from rusting.

Charcoal is recommended as an absorber of gases in the milk room where foul gases are present. It should be freshly powdered and kept there continually.

A teaspoonful of borax put into the last water in which clothes are rinsed will whiten them surprisingly. Pound the borax so it will dissolve easily.

One teaspoonful of ammonia to a teacup of water, applied with a rag, will clean silver or gold jewelry.

Clear boiling water will remove tea stains; pour the water through the stains and thus prevent its spreading.

Salt will curdle new milk; in preparing porridge, gravies, etc., salt should not be added until the dish is prepared.

Kerosene will soften boots and shoes that have been hardened by water and render them pliable as new.

A teaspoonful of turpentine boiled with your white clothes will aid the whitening process.

Wetting the hair thoroughly once or twice with a solution of salt and water will keep it from falling out.

If we don't sell your real estate, it doesn't cost you a cent. If we do, it only costs you 2 per cent.—The Courier Realty Co.

## FREAKS IN CIRCUSES

People Are Strangely Fascinated by the Monstrosities.

When the "Domesticated Gorilla" Got the Show Into Trouble—Hot Water Spoils a "Mermaid" to Lincolnton Fake.

London.—It seems strange that freaks, from the legless wonder to the two-headed calf, should possess such a strange fascination for nine people out of ten, yet this is undoubtedly the case.

Of course, there are many so-called freaks which have no business to be called by such an unpleasant name, for if one argues from the dictionary a freak is a monstrosity, and a monstrosity, in the generally accepted sense of the word, is something horrible. The giant and the dwarf are interesting and unusual, but certainly should not be called "freaks."

Hunchbacks were an exception to the rule, for all kinds of powers were attributed to them. There are some very sensitive people to whom the sight of anything in the nature of a monstrosity is absolute pain, and women are fortunately few and far between who fall in love with a monster because of his monstrosity, as in the case of Victor Hugo's "L'homme qui rit."

The ordinary individual comes across very few physical freaks, and one cannot but wonder whence the showman's rank and file are recruited. Perhaps, if the truth were known, more than half of the show freaks are "fakes." There are many good stories told of these sham freaks, who, owing to some contrivance, have "given the show away." The two following are good examples:

Among the freaks of a certain show was a "domesticated gorilla," to quote the handbills, and he proved one of the finest draws the show had ever had. After the performance no one could have recognized the gorilla, as



The Tail Acted Automatically.

he then took the shape of a very quiet, ordinary little man. The public particularly enjoyed seeing the gorilla swing from the horizontal bar by his tail, an appendage which is very slightly developed in the species as a rule.

This tall was a masterpiece of ingenuity. It was made of flexible steel, and so contrived that when it took a turn around anything it locked into position until it was released by the gorilla touching a spring concealed somewhere near his waist. The thing worked splendidly for a long time, until one day the gorilla put his tail through the bars of his cage, and a lady standing by took hold of it.

Well, the tail acted automatically, as usual, and of course when she felt it tighten around her wrist the lady screamed. The gorilla pressed the hidden spring to no purpose. To make a long story short, the man standing by came to the lady's rescue, took hold of the tail and pulled it off! When the people saw the leather fastenings and buckles they "cleaned out the establishment."

The second story concerns a mermaid. She was no ordinary mermaid, but a "really high-class article," a very handsome young woman dressed from the waist down in blue and gold fishskin. The water in which she smoked, and sang, and sat on a rock combing her hair was kept tepid so as not to give her a chill, and this was what gave her enemies—the beautiful Circassian girl and the dwarf—a chance to injure her.

They were jealous because she attracted more attention than they did, so they hatched a plot, which the dwarf carried out successfully. One day he pretended to be ill, and got a day off, and just before the mermaid's performance he hid himself in the boiler-room. After the man had been down to see that there was not too big a fire, the dwarf set to and stoked for all he was worth.

The mermaid soon felt that something was wrong, but she stood it as long as she could. At last, however, she had to choose between being boiled or giving the thing away, and naturally she preferred the latter alternative; but, as the showman put it, the public said things that were "very discouraging" and the show had to move on.

## Hickman Grocery Co.

Do your trading here and save money . . .

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Geo. W. Carter, of Union City, recently shipped two fine Berkshire pigs to New Orleans, where they were exported to Cuba. Mr. Carter says that he sold this season two-thirds of a litter for \$125. From these figures it seems that raising fine hogs is quite a profitable business, and the wonder is that more of our farmers do not go in for hog raising.

Ask the man who wears clothes made by Schmidt and he will tell you who is going to make his fall suit.—Schmidt of course.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts, and yawn a good deal in the daytime you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. HERBINE cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Company.

**Trial by Ordeal in Japan.**  
Tokio.—Trial by ordeal still exists in some parts of Japan. If a theft takes place in a household, all the servants are required to write a certain word with the same brush. The conscience is supposed to betray its workings in the waves of the ideographs written. Tracing an ideograph involves such an effort of muscular directness and undivided attention that the service often leads to the discovery of the guilty party. The test is, at all events, more humane than the ordeal by boiling water, to which accused persons were formerly submitted in Japan.

**Purchase Expensive Snuffboxes.**  
London.—The craze which sometimes possesses rich people to obtain curios was exemplified in London when seven snuff boxes brought \$20,000 each and the other five averaged \$10,000 each. None of the articles was worth very much intrinsically, their value resting in their age and associations.

If you don't want to buy, call and look, anyway. You might see something you want.—Hickman Fur Co.

Our readers and friends will confer a favor if they will send the Courier information of arrival and departure of themselves or any other matter of interest for publication. When you are in town come in and tell us any item of news that has happened in your neighborhood. We will be very glad to have it.

## Cash Book Store

Splendid Selection

New Books Stationery Post Cards, Notions, etc.

Call and See Our Stock Everything Up-to-date

Mary Berendes & Co.

## Marriage Licenses

The following were granted license to marry in Obion county last week:

M. Spain and Effie Tanner, E. T. Gill and Bertha Roby, Joe Kennedy and Mary Hall, Guy Howell and Lula Fowlkes, Claud Logan and Bertha Wheeler, W. C. Nelson and Lydia Hudson, Knox Craig and Lydia Grimes, A. L. Cravens and Emma Duncan.

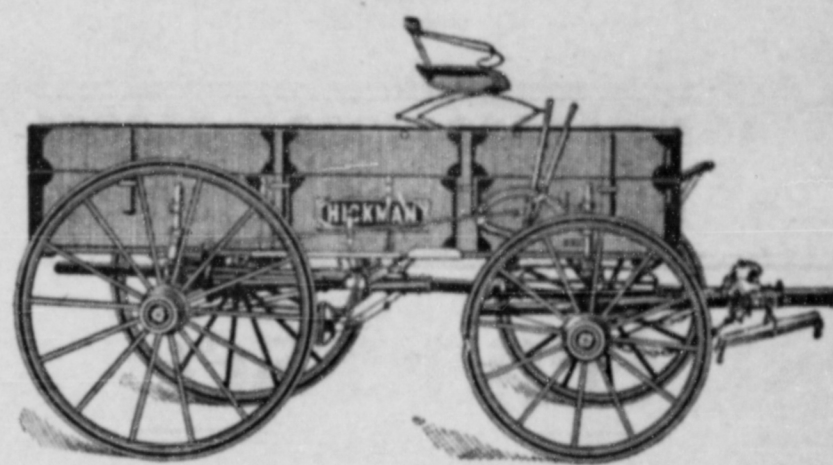
If you feel "blue," "No account," lazy, you need a good cleansing. HERBINE is the right thing for that purpose. It stimulates the liver, tones up the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Misses Helen Richards and Lucile Moss visited Mrs. Fannie Phelps, at Hickman, first of the week.—Union City News-Banner.

FOR RENT: Nice residence on the hill, desirably located.—L. P. Ellison.

## Special Offer

We expect to put out a greater number of farm wagons around close to home this year than ever before, and in order to do this we are making the special prices below:



2 3/4	Thimble Skein Wagon, with bed, at	\$50.00
3x9	" " "	52.00
3 1/4	" " "	55.00

Can furnish any height wheel preferred, the regular height, 42x52 inch, or the low 40x44 inch or special 37x46 inch. In the low wheel we specially recommend the 40x44 height, as they are well proportioned, very strong and durable.

Upon investigation you will find these prices from \$8 to \$12 under most all other makes, and at the same time we propose to give you a first-class light running wagon, made of bone-dry material throughout.

WE GUARANTEE EVERY WAGON right along side any other make for strength, light running, etc. Remember that while we are making extremely low prices, we propose to give you just as good a wagon as the other fellow is now charging you at least ten dollars more for.

Mr. S. L. Dodds, the proprietor, having his own timber and mills, is in position to build wagons for much less than those who are compelled to go on the open market for their supply of material. Being a large planter, Mr. Dodds uses a great number of wagons, and is in position to know just what style wagon suits the farmer best—and is now having wheels made with extra thick tires, deeper felloes, larger hubs and all other parts ironed in proportion.

Our foreman, Mr. Hertweck, and also our business manager, Mr. Baltzer, has been raised up in the wagon business, having been connected with this plant practically all their lives, and both are thoroughly familiar with the important points of wagon manufacture, and are using their every effort to put out a strictly first-class wagon that will best suit the farmer.

As a special inducement we will allow \$5.00 for this advertisement when cut from this paper and presented at our office, and accompanied by cash order for wagon during the month of September.

WHY PAY SEVERAL DOLLARS EXTRA FOR JUST A NAME, WHEN YOUR HOME FACTORY WILL FURNISH A WAGON AS GOOD FOR LESS.

Write us direct or come in and see us. We have a good stock of all size wagons on hand and will appreciate your business.

Respectfully,

**HICKMAN WAGON CO.**

INCORPORATED



**OUR FALL STOCK OF FURNITURE**

IS HERE

A larger and a better assorted stock than ever before seen in this city, and at prices lower than ever. Just think,

Quartered Oak Davenport \$25.00

Oak Bedsteads at . . . . . 2.75

Stearn & Foster's Felt

Mattresses . . . 7.50 to 12.50

Everything else in same proportion.

If prices and quality will make goods sell we will be bound to sell them. Just step in and look around while in town.

WE WOULD BE GLAD TO SHOW YOU . . . . .

**Hickman Furniture Co.**

INCORPORATED

Next door to Post Office.

FOLES NOW LIVING in Fulton county will tell you that we print more local news than any other paper in this section of Kentucky.

A BLUE MARK HERE means that your subscription has expired. Renew promptly. If you want the paper to come to you after this month.

Advertising is the Team that Pulls the Commercial Wagon up the Hill of Success. The Courier has a Spankin' Good Team. Grease the Axles of Your Wagon, Old Man, and Let's Hitch Up

VOLUME 51—NO. 18  
OLDEST PAPER IN WESTERN KENTUCKY

HICKMAN, FULTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, SEPT. 1, 1910.

WHOLE NO. 2420  
ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1859

## Death of Roland Amberg.

Roland Litchfield Amberg, one of the brightest and most promising young men of this city, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Alice Amberg, Friday morning at 5:30 after a three weeks' illness of typhoid fever. All that loving hearts and hands could do, proved of no avail; and the end came peacefully—the weary soul took its flight to the Great Beyond.

It was indeed a sad death.

Deceased was born in Hickman, April 22, 1884. After finishing the Hickman schools, in 1901, he prepared for college at the Union City Training School, and entered Vanderbilt University in the fall of 1902. In 1907 he graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and the following year received the post-graduate degree of Master of Arts. His years at Vanderbilt were marked by an active interest in College affairs, especially those pertaining to Y. M. C. A. and literary society work. He was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity and following his graduation was elected to membership in the scholarship fraternity of Phi Beta Kappa. After leaving Vanderbilt, he was Assistant Principal of the Opelousas, La., High School, resigning this position at the end of two years to enter the Harvard Law School. He had completed one year of the law course when death occurred, and was doubtless the best educated man in Hickman. He was a faithful member of the Methodist Church, to which he had belonged several years. He was initiated on Aug. 10, 1908, into Hickman Lodge No. 761, Free & Accepted Masons, and raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason on Feb. 8, 1909, at Opelousas, La. At the same place he took the degrees of a Royal Arch Mason, and it is certain Masonry never had a more faithful and conforming member.

Just ahead of him lay a bright and propitious future. All that Christianity, noble character, honesty, intelligence, kindness and simplicity means to the strength of manhood were exemplified in his daily life. In every sense, he was a model young man. His untimely death is doubly sad because he was young—just in the flower of young manhood—and had strived so hard to reach the place he had barely attained.

Funeral services were held at the family residence Friday morning at 10 o'clock by Revs. G. W. Wilson and H. J. Geiger, who spoke in fitting words the beautiful tribute which his life deserved. Flowers—the silent token of esteem of his many friends—literally covered his bier. Final services were held at the grave by the Masons in a most impressive manner, burial taking place at the City Cemetery.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Alice Amberg, and three brothers, Henry, Victor, and Willie, besides a number of other relatives, who have the sympathy of their many friends in this dark hour of sorrow.

If your groceries have not proven entirely satisfactory try trading with C. H. Moore.

Try a sack of 101 Highest Grade Patent Flour—Case & Son. Phone No. 182.

An exchange says they have invented a new kind of social amusement. It is called an "avordupois party." All the girls are weighed, and the weight of each written on a piece of paper and put into a hat and the young men must draw. The young man must go to supper with the girl whose weight he draws, and must pay for her supper at one-half cent per pound. It is very exciting, so far as the young men are concerned.

SCHMIDT THE TAILOR.

WHY NOT TRY?  
Popham's  
—ASTHMA REMEDY—  
Gives prompt and positive relief in every case. Sold by The Hickman Drug Co., price \$1. Trial package by mail, 10c.  
Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland.



## Mr. Bond Writes.

Speer & Sexton, Publishers,  
Hickman, Ky.

Dear sirs:

I am very much pleased at the good results obtained by advertising through the Hickman Courier. In opening up my subdivision, my first move was to arrange for advertising with you and most of the lots have been sold as a result even though it has been but nine months since I started. If a person has something good to sell and will let the public know through your paper, he will sell quickly.

You are making no mistake in building up a good paper as Hickman has a great future and you will be well rewarded. With the coming of the new railroad from Dyersburg, the one across the river, the new up-to-date river transportation, opening of new land and increase in cotton acreage, building of good roads, extension of telephone lines and schools continued increasing of Mengel's plants and advertising the town through the gun shoot and other sources, we are going to see wonderful improvement in the next few years. An indication of this is the number of people who are moving to Hickman and those continually seeking business locations there.

Realizing all these things and the necessity for more business houses, I have opened up a business addition of Richmond & Bond Co.'s property because it is right in the place where these new business houses are needed. I have arranged part of this for retail and part for wholesale stores, with the railroad track in the rear for receiving car load goods.

In opening up this subdivision my first move is to tell the public about it through your paper and I expect to get the best results and sell the

lots quickly. I have just ordered my subscription renewed as your paper is full of good news. Wishing you continued success in your enterprise,

Yours very truly,  
G. E. BOND.

You can't shoot through some steak sold in Hickman, but that is not the kind sold by the Hickman Grocery Co. If you want better meat, give them a trial; it costs 5 per cent less.

## Was a Good Man.

We deeply regret to learn on August 22, of the death of James A. Walker, of Hickman, Ky., uncle of the Herald editor, who passed peacefully away on August 16, 1910, aged 62. He was one of the best men in west Tennessee or in Fulton county, Ky., and his life and character are pure and spotless, being unsurpassed by few men of this generation. This is not merely our own estimation of this good man, but the actual testimony of the people in the country where he lived.—Sikeston (Mo.) Herald.

Remember we have moved temporarily into the Barry building.—Hickman Plumbing & Tinning.

The Hickman County Farmers Institute will be held in Clinton on October 5 and 6.

STOLEN: From my lot in West Hickman, one black, blind mule, 5 years old, 14½ hands high.—Mose Barkett.

Bulte's Excellence is the name of our new, high grade flour, guaranteed to be the best in Hickman. Your money back if not satisfied.—Bettsworth & Prather.

## Very Best Kentucky Lump

# COAL

—DELIVERED—

# \$4.25 A TON

POSITIVELY NO CLINKERS

Ask our regular customers how they like this coal.

# W. F. MONTGOMERY

## Announcement

The undersigned takes this means of informing friends and the general public, that on Saturday, September 3, we will open a new Gent's Furnishing Store in Hickman, in the building formerly occupied by Ellison Bros. as a dry goods department.

We have purchased in the way of stock the very latest and best that could be found, including Edwin Clapp's fine shoes for men, Burrough, Jones & Dyer Full Vamp shoes for men and boys, Stetson and National brand hats, all shapes, Cluett Shirts, Arrow Brand Collars, and everything else will be of the same standard quality.

With the famous Royal Tailors line of made-to-measure clothing we can dress the man or boy from head to foot. In our clothing business, we want to state this fact: Every suit is positively guaranteed to fit and give perfect satisfaction or your money will be refunded.

It is our intention to keep right in line with the wants of men, and to give the very best values for your money.

A share of your business is respectfully solicited, and you have a cordial invitation to make our store your headquarters at all times, whether you care to purchase or not.

Yours truly,

H. E. CURLIN.

## COTTAGE HOTEL

W. J. COOK, Prop.

BEST

\$1 a Day House

—IN—

Western Kentucky

## Roper's Colt Show.

Roper's Annual Colt Show will take place on Monday afternoon, Sept. 12, at the farm five miles east of Hickman. The following premiums will be given: Aristocrat, \$12 to first, \$8 to second; Osceola, \$6 to first, \$4 to second; Mohawk, \$8 to first, \$4 to second; Black Boy, \$5 to first, \$4 to second.

If you receive a sample copy of the Courier, it is an invitation to subscribe for it. As a special inducement to those who are not taking the Courier, and in order to get you acquainted with it, we offer it to you from now until Jan. 1, 1911, for only 25c. This is much cheaper than either borrowing or stealing. Leave your name, or the name of some friend, your address, and 25c at the office and we'll do the rest. This applies to new subscribers only.

W. R. Andrews, of Union City, was in town Monday. He has been for a number of years one of the chief promoters of Union City's big annual poultry shows, and suggests that the show be held at Hickman this year. Our poultry fanciers would do well to give this matter consideration. The people of this vicinity need to take a little more interest in poultry raising, and this is a way to work up interest.

## Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS, God, in His infinite wisdom has removed from our midst Sov. J. T. Kemp; be it resolved,

THAT, Elm Camp No. 3, W. O. W., has lost one of its most loyal and worthy members, one who believed with sincere devotion in the tenets and principles taught by this order, and whose life, therefore, was consistent in the establishment of a reputation that all of us may remember with pride.

THAT, we extend to his bereaved family our heartfelt sympathies, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this lodge, and presented to the Hickman Courier for publication, and a copy of same be sent to his family.

Jno. Pyle,  
G. W. Stockton.  
Tom Bondurant  
Committee.

WANTED TO BORROW: \$2000 for 4 or 5 years on good Union City property worth \$7000; gilt edge security. Apply at this office. 31p

The partnership interests heretofore existing between Jas. M. Brice and Arch Johnson, of the News Banner, at Union City, has been dissolved and Mr. Johnson is at present doing business at The Commercial office. Mr. Brice continues the publication of the News-Banner.

I guarantee all plumbing and tinning I do. If the work don't come up right—and I can't out-talk you—we will cheerfully do the job over—just like any other plumber.—Cotton.

A Democrat orator has catalogued the Republicans as follows: Half breed Republicans, Taft Republicans, stand-pat Republicans, insurgent Republicans, liberal Republicans, Conservative Republicans, LaFollette Republicans, Dolliver Republicans and Beveridge Republicans.

Try it—like it—REO.

**WE BUY WOOL HIDES AND FURS**

Being Dealers, we can do better for you than agents or commission merchants. Reference: any bank in Louisville. We furnish Wool Bags Free to our shippers. Write for price list. M. SABEL & SONS Established in 1866. Louisville, Ky.

## Kentucky Fair Dates—

Florence, September 6—3 days.  
Monticello, September 6—3 days.  
Hodgenville, September 6—3 days.  
Falmouth, September 28—4 days.  
Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, September 12—6 days.

FOR SALE: One Phaeton, one 2-seated trap with top, pole and shafts.—Dr. J. M. Hubbard. 20p

Dr. E. D. Richardson died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Abe Davidson, in Obion, on Thursday morning, Aug. 25, of senility.

WANTED—Cosmopolitan Magazine requires the services of a representative in Hickman to look after subscription renewals and to extend circulation by special methods which have proved unusually successful. Salary and commission. Previous experience desirable but not essential. Whole time or spare time. Address with references, H. C. Campbell, Cosmopolitan Magazine, 1789 Broadway, New York City.

Our mill is running every day. You will not be disappointed if you come to our mill for shingles.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

A good housewife never opens the condensed milk can with her husband's razor, nor will a loving husband curry the horse with the automatic grater.

## Quality Wins

When it comes to a question of buying our supplies **QUALITY** is the first thing we consider. Price is nothing to us, until the quality satisfies. That is why our store excels in every way.

## Helm & Ellison

### Resolutions of Respect.

Hickman Lodge, No. 761.  
F. & A. M.  
Hickman, Ky., Aug. 30, 1910.

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His wise providence to take from our midst our worthy brother, Roland L. Amberg, who, on August 26th, 1910, was received into that spiritual building, for which he was so well prepared—that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens; be it

Resolved, That in his death, Hickman Lodge No. 761, has lost a true and faithful brother, his church a devout and consecrated Christian, his mother a loving and dutiful son and his brothers a wise counsellor.

Resolved That we extend to his mother and brothers our heartfelt sympathy, with the assurance that we mourn with them in their loss; and we commend his life and faithfulness to the whole community as worthy of emulation.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the record book, a copy sent to his mother and brothers and copies sent to the Masonic Home Journal and Hickman Courier for publication.

HENRY J. GEIGER,  
A. E. KENNEDY,  
W. C. SPEER,  
Committee.

### Missouri Couple Wed.

J. T. Townsend, age 25, and Miss Allie Higgins, age 19, were united in marriage at the court house yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Judge W. A. Naylor. The bride is a daughter of W. M. Higgins. The groom is a son of Jas. Townsend. Both reside in Mississippi county, Mo.

In this issue of the Courier appears the first of three articles on the Sabbath question by Rev. G. W. Wilson. To get the full benefit of his treatment of the subject one needs to read carefully each of the three articles.

Beware of substitutes—see that our trade-mark is on your plumbing and tinning jobs.—John Cotton.

Best flour on the market.—Bettsworth & Prather.

### Where They Teach.

Following is a list of the teachers who will teach in Fulton county this year and name of their school.

Miss Mary McDaniel, Blue Pond.  
Miss Cressie Chambers, Taylor.  
J. C. Sugg, Palestine.  
Mrs. P. A. Moore, Liberty.  
Miss Annie Ballow, Edmiston.  
Miss Jessie Wall, Rush Creek.  
Frank Wall, Cayce.  
Miss Elsie Shaw, Rural.  
Miss Marie Gore, Simmons.  
Mrs. Ora Boardman, Montgomery.  
Miss Ruby Seay, Hazel Dell.  
Miss Grace Sullivan, Walnut Grove.  
Miss Jane McConnell, Sassafras Ridge.

Harry Williamson, Madrid Bend.  
Miss Nannie Brown, McFadden.  
Mrs. Mary Barber, Lodgton.  
Miss Fannie Eddings, Woodlawn.  
Mrs. Lillis Stanley, Sycamore.  
Miss Sue Ramer, Roper.  
Miss Elizabeth Corum, Stubbs.  
Miss Lavana Fuller, Graves.  
Miss Maggie Henry, Island No. 8.  
Mr. Sheffer, New Hope.  
T. W. Skinner, Rock Springs.

#### Carr Institute.

J. C. Cheek.  
Miss Alma Givens.  
Miss Macon Sebastian.  
W. C. Underwood.  
Miss Jessie Lee Reed.  
Miss Beatie Rice.  
Miss Lillian Kirkland.  
Mrs. R. A. Herring.

#### Norman-Terry School.

Miss Hettie Collins.  
Miss Vivian Hall.  
Miss Kate B. Hill.

#### Riceville.

R. A. Herring.  
R. A. Herring.

#### Hickman College.

B. F. Gabby.  
Miss Virginia Luten.  
Miss Annie Sherron.  
Miss Mattie DeBow.  
Miss Anna Outten.  
Miss Imogene Moore.  
Miss Bufile Bruer.  
Miss Light Paris.  
Mrs. Avee Journey.  
Miss Estelle Reneau.  
Miss Louise Atwood.

MOVING PICTURES at the Lyric Saturday night.

### HERE AND THERE

#### The Best By Gish.

Groceries at Moore's.

Fresh meats at Moore's.

The corn crop's a cinch.

Union City Fair, Sept. 14.

The oyster season opens today.

"By Gish" the mark of quality.

Showers predicted for tomorrow.

Oce Harris was in Fulton Friday.

Why not have a good street fair?

No hunting allowed in the Railroad park.

Not long until the school bell will ring again.

There are now ten prisoners in the county jail.

Fred Liliker was over from Cayce, yesterday.

Telephone No. 4 for better meats and groceries.

Rep. F. S. Moore, wife and daughter are in Louisville.

Next Monday, the 5th, is Labor Day. Everybody busy.

Sam Salmon returned Tuesday evening from New Madrid.

Lawrence Coombs was in St. Louis several days last week.

Miss Homer Green is visiting Mrs. R. G. Robbins at Mayfield.

Mrs. Margaret Baird, age 53, died at her home in Fulton, yesterday.

Robert Coffee has returned from a visit to relatives in Paragould, Ark.

Miss Ethel Powell, of Horse Cave, Ky., is the guest of Miss Bufile Bruer.

Gish the only Portrait Photographer. Walker's corner in West Hickman.

Mrs. J. M. Reid returned Friday from an extended stay at Monticello, Tenn.

Miss Mayme Naylor has returned from a visit to Fulton relatives and friends.

The best flour in Hickman—Bulte's Excellence—at Bettsworth & Prather's.

Miss Mattie Travis and Mrs. Ella Henderson visited in Union City last week.

Miss Ruby Fleming returned the latter part of last week from a visit in Fulton.

Miss Effie Bruer, our popular Deputy Circuit Clerk, left this morning for Fulton.

Miss Lucile Bondurant visited her sister Mrs. Hardy Ligon, in Union City last week.

G. W. Menees and family, of Cayce, have moved to Clinton. They will keep boarders.

A. M. DeBow returned this morning from Dawson Springs, where he spent several days.

Mrs. S. M. Hubbard has returned from Monticello, Tenn., where she spent several days.

Nat Elkin has returned to Memphis after a visit with his cousin, T. T. Swayne, and family.

Mrs. W. H. Baltzer and daughter, Miss Thelma, left today for Carbondale, Ill., to visit her parents.

Miss Virginia Prather returned Tuesday from a week's visit to Miss Lucile Robbins, at New Madrid.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Holcombe returned to Jackson, Miss., Saturday, after a visit to Hickman relatives.

Bud Metheny, E. W. Adams and O. B. Powell spent a few days last week on No. 9 Lake fishing and hunting.

Jack McDaniel left for Louisville Wednesday night where he will enter the main office of the Mengel Box Co.

Mrs. B. G. Hale, Mrs. Ella Hertweck, Misses Jessie Outten and Bettie and Allie Dodds returned Saturday from a trip to Mammoth Cave.

The Father of Waters is now lower than for several years past. There is only 10 feet on the Cairo gauge, and is still falling. In a short time the Lee Line steamers will be forced to abandon service between Cairo and St. Louis until the river rises.

### Revival Will Close.

The revival at the Christian church will come to a close Friday night, we understand. Withal it has been a very successful meeting and attendance has been fair considering the extreme warm weather. There have been two conversions and one reclaimed. Rev. Wyatt, of Paducah, who has been holding the services, is an interesting and well informed minister, and more of our people should have heard him.

Hickman Furniture Co., headquarters for undertakers goods.

Did you know we could make that old suit look like new.—Schmidt the Tailor.

B. C. Sullivan, wife and baby arrived yesterday from Mayfield for a few days stay.

C. S. Patterson and family spent the first of the week with Mrs. B. C. White, at Dorena.

H. C. Helm and family will leave Saturday for Gibson Wells, Tenn., to spend several days.

Misses Lucile and Orleana Wilson, of St. Louis, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Alice P. Wilson this week.

Mrs. Fred Hayden has canned and preserved 60 gallons of fruit and together with pickles and kraut, has over 240 gallons.

Mrs. J. A. Noonon and children left yesterday for her old home in Hardwell, where they will attend a big family reunion this week.

Mrs. John Milner and daughter, Miss Leila, and Mrs. W. A. Reeds and daughter, Miss Erlene, of Fulton, visited Judge W. A. Naylor and family several days last week.

Miss Hettie Williams in St. Louis for a few days getting hints in dressmaking and new styles. On her return she will have charge of the dressmaking department at Baltzer & Dodds.

The new brick and concrete building, west of the ice factory, is going right up. The building is being put up by A. O. Caruthers for the Hickman Plumbing & Tinning Co., and will make them an elegant home.

### From the Fulton County Capital

#### Circuit Court.

R. J. Brown vs. I. C. R. R. Suit for \$1500 damages for injuries sustained by plaintiff on ground that has been used in Crutchfield as a thoroughfare.

United States Tailoring Co. vs. J. A. Milner. Suit for \$195.48 for failure to return samples.

Melton & Thomas vs. Ben Paraklin Insurance Co. Suit on policy.

United Shirt and Collar Co. vs. J. A. Milner. Suit for an account of \$539.34.

B. G. Hale vs. Vernon Malady et al. City of Fulton, Ex Parte. Two suits to annex new territory.

J. J. C. Bondurant vs. J. H. Peck. Suit on note.

Minnie Jones vs. Jim Jones. Suit for divorce.

Jas. Sanger vs. Richard Booker et al. Suit on note.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

T. L. Atwood, Comr. estate of A. G. Kimbro, deceased, to Willie Kimbro, 3 acres land.

T. L. Atwood, Comr. estate of A. G. Kimbro, deceased, to Blanche Kimbro, 3 acres land.

W. R. Cole to O. D. Cole, division of 138 acres land.

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J. H. Wade to J. P. DeMyer, 100 acres land, \$5000.

J. P. DeMyer to Geo. W. Phillips, of Union City, 100 acres land, \$6,000.

W. H. Garand, of New Madrid, to Jas. F. Adams, 117 acres land in Madrid Bend, \$9,200.

J. P. Witt to J. H. Pillow, lot in Carr's Addition to Fulton, \$1325.

J. H. Pillow to W. H. Powers and W. J. Willingham, lot in Carr's Addition to Fulton, \$2,000.

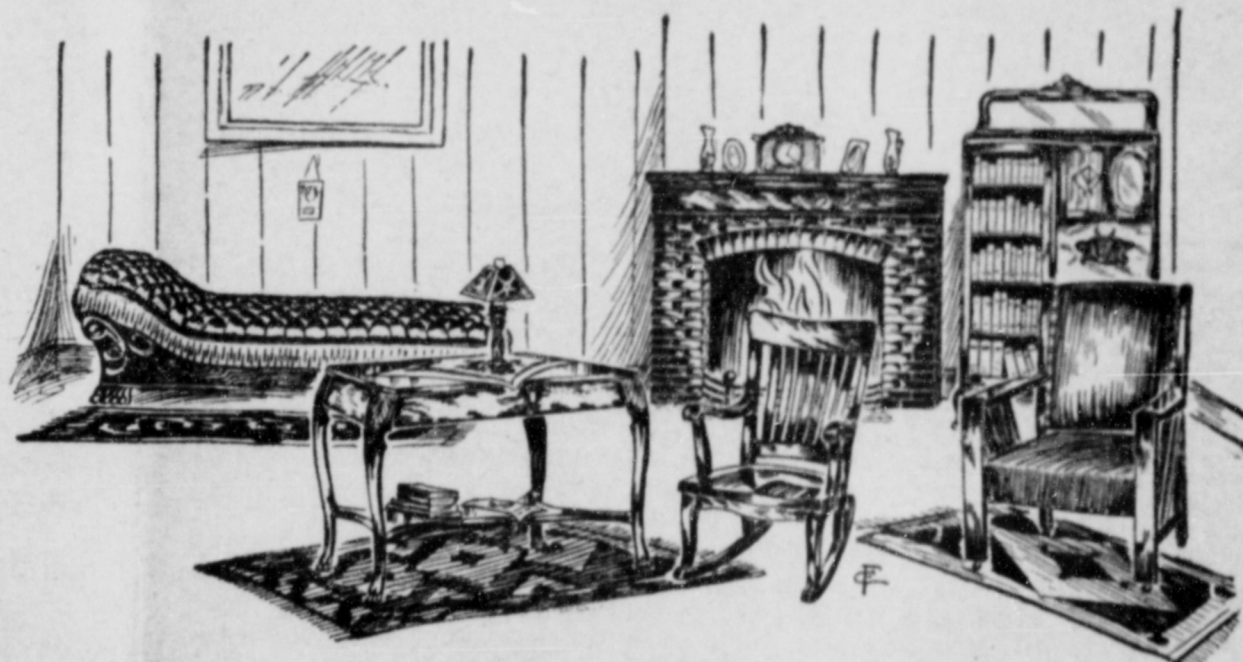
E. L. King et al to L. D. Threlkeld 130 acres land, \$11020.

W. B. Jones to J. R. McClellan, 100 acres land, \$4640. This deed was made in 1889.

B. G. Hale and J. W. Ward to H. Pollock, Lot 222 in West Hickman, Henry Pollock, Lot 222 in West Hickman, \$875.

Mrs. L. A. Hall to Mrs. J. A. Hall, lot in Fulton, \$150.

# FALL



THE time for house cleaning and refurnishing is near at hand. Naturally, if you love a neat, cozy home, you will want to make it still neater and cozier by an addition here and there of some article of furniture or furnishing that will lend new life and added pleasure to the surroundings. We are prepared—better than any firm in Hickman—to meet your needs in this line. Never before has our stock been more inviting or our assortment more comprehensive than now. Come, take a stroll through the store, you will not be urged to buy. A few prices:

Davenport	28.50 to 40.00	Wood Beds	3.50 to 10.00	Oil Cloth, yard	20c
Dining Room Chairs	1.25 to 2.00	Metal Beds	2.50 to 20.00	Linoleum	50c
Pedestal Dining Table	12.00 up	Library Suit, Mission	12.50	Baby High Chairs	1.25
China Closets	16.00 up	Parlor Suit	35.00	Baby Go-Cart	2.25 to 12.00
Lace Curtains	1.00 up	Bed Room Suits	22.50 up	Mattings	20c to 30c
Buffet	25.00 up	Fancy Parlor Tables	3.75 to 7.00	Carpets, good values	35c
Dressing Tables, all styles	15.00 up	Library Tables	12.50 to 25.00	Shades, all kinds	35c
Wardrobe	32.50	Book Cases	12.50 to 15.00	Stoves and Ranges	9.00 to 40.00
Chiffoniers, any price.		Desks, Ladies' and Gents'	13.00 up	Child's Crib	1.50
Dressers, any style	10.00 to 20.00	Druggists, any style	7.00 to 25.00	Pictures, framed	75c up
Bed Spring, any style	1.75 up	Kitchen Cabinets	10.00 to 18.50	Clocks	1.25 to 3.50
Pillows, pair	1.25 to 2.00	Kitchen Tables	3.00	Rugs, 300 styles	75c up
Mattress (Ostermoor)	2.25 to 17.50	Chairs	60c up	Lamps, all kinds at very low prices.	

If there is anything you need to make your home more comfortable, we shall be only too pleased to have you come to this store, select just what you need and pay for it as suits you best. We are enabled by the reason of our increased business to offer better quality than before, at even lower prices, and wish you to call and investigate.

E. W. ALLEN,  
Manager.

## ST. LOUIS FURNISHING CO.

## FARMERS UNION RALLY

SATURDAY, SEPT 10th

One-Half Mile West of  
**MOSCOW, KY.**

On Moscow and Columbus Road

Speaking by Hon. R. L. Barnett, Secretary and Treasurer of the State Union, and other prominent Union men.

### A Brass Band

To Make Music Throughout the Day.

Refreshments of all kinds, and a fine lot of barbecued meats which will be sold at 30c a pound, our object being to cover necessary expenses only.

We invite every one to come and enjoy the day with us, whether you are a member of the Union or not. Ladies are especially invited.

COMMITTEE.



## All the New Styles

In Ladies', Men's and Children's Fine Shoes are now ready. Good school shoes for boys and girls, price low and quality high

**\$1.50 to \$2.00**  
All Leathers.

It is time to think of a new suit. It will pay you to see our fine line of Woolens—fit, satisfaction and prices guaranteed

**\$13.50 to \$40.00**

Our line of hosiery was never so complete and the price so low—5c a foot, 10c for two feet. We want you to see this line, black, tan and fancy, 7½c a foot, 15c for two feet.

We sell strictly high grade footwear, no plugs, nothing but dependable shoes. Ladies fine shoes a specialty.

## THE CASH SHOE STORE E. C. RICE

### OIL FOUND IN ILLINOIS

Drillers Make Rich Strike at Two Thousand Feet Deep Nine Miles From Greenville.

Greenville, Ill., Aug. 23.—The Producers' Oil company drilled into oil sand at the Brown's Mill well, nine miles west of Greenville, with remarkable success, as shown by the volume of oil brought to the surface. Sample of the oil, struck at 2,000 feet, were brought to Greenville and show a superior grade. The rope on the derrick shows the hole had filled up to a depth of 135 feet at the time the derrick was drawn from the hole. The pressure indicates a strong flow.

Illinois Lag Wading Browns. Princeton, Ind., Aug. 23.—Milton G. Krebs, 20, son of L. W. Krebs of Mount Carmel, Ill., was drowned while wading in White river at Kelly's ripple. The boy was a member of the Bob White club, camping here.

Earthquakes in New England. Lowell, Mass., Aug. 23.—Earth tremors accompanied by heavy rainfalls, caused considerable alarm in this city and surrounding towns. The shocks lasted several seconds but did no damage.

A Powerful Beacon. New York.—To guide ocean liners into New York harbor, through the great \$4,000,000 Ambrose channel, is now nearing completion on the hills of Staten Island a powerful beacon. The lamp itself will give a light equal to 1,000 candle power, which is increased to nearly 1,500,000 candle power by means of the reflector and lens. Such a light will be discernible for no less than twenty miles at sea. The oil used will be vaporized kerosene which, next to electricity, gives the brightest light known at the present day. The cost of the light will exceed \$50,000.

Alfonso's Narrow Escape. Madrid.—Few men of his age had so many narrow escapes as King Alfonso of Spain, who was twenty-four May 17. His life has been attempted twice, in Paris during a state visit there, and in Madrid on his wedding day. He has been in several motoring accidents and on one occasion nearly succeeded in killing the Spanish minister of education as well as himself. When trying a reaping-machine at La Parda some years ago he became entangled in the machinery, and might have been killed if the engineer had not stopped the movement instantaneously.

Air Line London to Paris. London.—Lady Abby, wife of Sir William Abby, has offered \$250,000 toward the promotion of an aerial passenger line between London and Paris.

### Sullivan Bros. Here.

Sullivan Bros. is the style of a new firm that is getting ready for business in Hickman.

They will be located in the building formerly used by Edgar Naylor as a book store, and expect to be ready for business Saturday. A good portion of their goods is here now, and the three members of the firm are busy getting things shaped up. Their line will include clothing, furnishing goods, etc., which will be more fully explained in their announcement next week.

The firm is composed of three brothers—B. C., T. T. and C. C. Sullivan, of Mayfield and are experienced men in this business.

### Engraved Calling Cards, Wedding Invitations, &c.

At Courier Office.  
See samples.

### Dorena Notes.

J. E. White purchased four fine mules for \$900.

Christal Alexander, of Tennessee, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Crawford.

Several young folks of this vicinity spent Sunday with the Misses Bolters, of Medley.

Mrs. Neal Polhamus and Mrs. Howell and son are visiting their brother, Joe Polhamus.

Miss Maude Maddox, of Calvert City, is visiting her brothers, John and Claude Maddox.

Misses Effie and Pearl Bradley have returned from Wingo, Ky., where they have been visiting friends.

Miss Carmen Crawford has returned from Tennessee where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. May Alexander.

The Locust Grove school will begin Monday. Miss Irene Reddick, of Charleston, has been employed as teacher.

### News From Cayce.

Several are on the sick list this week.

Miss Ethel Edmiston visited Hickman friends last week.

Several of our business men were in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. Ruth English and little son, of Chattanooga, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Ardell Johnson visited her sister, Mrs. Lon Naylor, of Hickman, last week.

Mrs. W. A. Naylor and daughter, Miss Mayme, visited relatives here Tuesday.

Several of our young people attended the show boat at Hickman Tuesday night.

Miss Jessie Wall and brother, Frank, are in Fulton this week attending the institute.

Richard Reeves and Ward McClellan left Monday for Trenton, Tenn., where they will enter school.

### HERMIT KINGDOM PART OF JAPAN

DISORDERS FOLLOW CLOSE UPON ANNEXATION OF KOREA BY NEIGHBOR.

### NEW PROVINCE CHO SEN

Mikado Promised Protection, But Annexes Peninsula and Population of 13,000,000—Army Ordered in Readiness.

Tokio, Aug. 30.—Disorders have broken out in Korea, according to private advices received here, coincident with the formal announcement that the old "Hermit Kingdom," independent for more than 4,000 years, is now the Japanese province of Cho Sen.

The annexation has caused great excitement in Japan, although fully expected. Rejoicing is general, save in radical circles. The socialists have attempted to make capital of the move, pointing out the definite pledge of the maintenance of Korea's independence.

Censorship is Strict. The censorship is strictly maintained, and the actual conditions in the peninsula are not definitely known. It is certain, however, that outbreaks have occurred at several points.

The army of occupation has been ordered ready for instant service, and the patrol of the coast by warships is being continued with vigilance. By the annexation Japan gains a prize that has been practically within her grasp since her successful war with Russia. Her area is increased by 32,000 square miles and her population by approximately 13,000,000.

Japanese-Korean Agreement. China renounced her claim on Korea by the treaty of Shimoneseki, in 1895, when Japanese influence in Korea became predominant. In February, 1904, the Japanese-Korean agreement was signed at Seoul, whereby Japan undertook to insure the safety of the Korean imperial household and guaranteed the territorial integrity of the country.

A strong military force will have to be maintained for several years in Korea, it is believed, to hold in check the younger part of the population, which has always opposed annexation and has resorted to numerous assassinations in the last few years.

### HAVE YOU TRIED



5c—all Fountains

Fulton has a carnival.

Cypress Shingles, \$1 a thousand at mill.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

Fancy Browns and Grays are the latest for fall and winter.—Schmidt.

### Home Supply Co. Sells.

T. A. Stark engineered a deal the first of the week, whereby the furniture store of the Home Supply Co. becomes the property of the St. Louis Furnishing Co.

The purchasers will take possession today. The stock will remain where it is for the present.

W. M. Potts, proprietor of the Home Supply Co., will leave in a short time for Mayfield, where he will engage in the insurance business.

Important—If you want GOOD photos you must get them while you can.—By Gish.

### School Announcement.

In addition to the regular course, Hickman College this year will have the following special courses:

Vocal and Instrumental Music.

French.

German.

Greek.

Elocution.

Bookkeeping.

Shorthand.

Typewriting.

Pennmanship.

And advantages of the new library.

The High School Course is free to all pupils in Fulton County.

Col. Roosevelt is making one of his spectacular tours through the western states, reviewing parades, making speeches and receiving the plaudits of uproarious crowds of cow boys, soldiers and Indians. His tour will take him through fourteen states. What is he fixing for?

The last legislature passed a law increasing the compensation of jailers for the board of prisoners to 75 cents a day. The Attorney General gives it as his opinion that the law does not apply to jailers now in office, as it is in contravention of the constitution of an officer during his term of office. And yet the increase of \$1200 a year in the salaries of circuit judges was held to apply to judges now in office. But that is a gray horse of another color.—Clinton Gazette.

### Resolution of Respect.

Whereas, The Death Angel has again visited Fulton Lodge No. 83, I. O. O. F., of Hickman, Ky., and called upon us to mourn the loss of one of its beloved members, Tom Dillon, Jr., who passed over the dark river to his heavenly reward, Wednesday, the 24th day of August, 1919 at his home at Mrs. Ramages, in Hickman, Ky., terminating a long, instructive career with the lodge and benefitted his brothers and fellowman during his residence here, and knowing his worth and merit as we do and desiring to add our appreciative words of his many excellent qualities; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Dillon the I. O. O. F. has lost a true and faithful member, whose zeal for getting and doing and keeping things right marked his many years of useful membership in the lodge and has left the example of a true and noble life for the Fraternity to pattern after and for its uplift and betterment.

That, We tender to his relatives and friends outside this lodge our heartfelt sympathy in this sad hour of separation, believing that a happy and eternal reunion in that Home beyond the skies awaits them and us.

That, As an officer of the Fraternity and as an officer of the law he justly earned that welcome plaudit, "Well done thou good and faithful servant; come up higher."

That, As a tribute to the memory of Brother Dillon that the Lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days; that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Lodge Book and a copy be furnished the Hickman Courier and copies of the Hickman Courier be sent Tom Dillon, Sr., Mrs. Ramage, Jao. T. Dillon and Mrs. Jessie Dillon.

B. T. DAVIS,  
W. C. JOHNSON,  
F. S. MOORE,  
C. C. SCHLENKER,  
Committee.

The Hickman Furniture Co. handles the best line of Furniture in West Kentucky. Let us show you.

A. T. Salmon, Dick Smith and Hollis Kirk were in Caruthersville first of the week.

### Linder--Threlkeld.

Elmer Threlkeld and Miss Lottye Linder, well known young people of near this city, were married at the country home of the bride last night at 8:30, Rev. Smith, of Jackson, Tenn. officiating. After the ceremony, refreshments were served and the friends and relatives of the contracting parties made merry until a late hour.

The bride, an accomplished and charming young lady, is well known to many of our readers, and is loved by her entire circle of acquaintances. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Linder.

Mr. Threlkeld is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Threlkeld, one of the oldest and most highly respected families of the county. He is a prosperous and energetic young farmer, and is held in high esteem by his many friends.

Further particulars next week. The Courier joins their friends in wishing them a bon voyage on life's sea.

Mother and Father have had no GOOD photos made for a long time. Do it Now, By Gish.

Speaking of the teachers' institute at Fulton this week, the Tribune says: Prof. B. F. Gabby, of Hickman, had a very interesting paper, and each one enjoyed and profited by it. Prof. Gabby is a very able instructor and one that our county and Hickman may feel proud of. Miss Dora Smith is also coming up to her old record and sustaining her reputation as one of the most efficient county superintendents in the state.

The U. S. Monitor Amphitrite which strated up the Mississippi to St. Louis and was completed to tie up at Memphis on account of low water, will remain at Memphis this winter for a thorough overhauling.

Mrs. Caroline Chedester, died Aug. 12, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ida J. McCreedy, in Black Rock, Ark. She is survived by her daughter and son, A. L. Chedester, of this city, 5 brothers and 2 sisters. She was 67 years old.

## Last Call = =



All Summer  
Goods Must Go  
Our Prices Will  
Move Them

Ladies' and Men's LOW CUT SHOES at greatly reduced prices.

Men's and Boys' TROUSERS and all Summer stock of wearables at figures that will pay you to buy.

We need the room for our Mammoth Winter Stock. Don't delay---for our loss is your gain.

## BRADLEY & PARHAM

# REAL ESTATE

**FOR SALE:** Three good paying pieces of property in West Hickman. Two houses of 5 rooms each and one three rooms. Located on good street, fences and cistern for each place. Annual rentals, \$265. Will make a very liberal price; can be bought collectively or will sell any one. Small cash payment, balance on instalments.

**FOR SALE:** The beautiful little home place belonging to T. S. Moon, located between the homes of Judge Murrell and Judge Moore, on Oblion street. Six room residence, 2 good lots, concrete walks and other improvements. Will sell at reasonable figure.

**FOR SALE:** In the new Rogers Addition, between Southern Heights and city line, ten as pretty lots as you ever saw to go at a very low figure. These lots are level, desirable building sites, of good depth, and can be had in any width. They lay at the south end of the new steel bridge. Present improvements consist of concrete walks, water mains electric lights, etc. To start the ball rolling we will sell ten lots at \$150 each; others will be higher. Restrictions will be placed on these lots so that only nice homes and white people will be in the neighborhood.

**FOR SALE:** For a limited time we will offer for sale at a BARGAIN, 160 acres of fine timber land near Reelfoot Lake. Owner says there are 1,000,000 feet of cypress, ash, gum, etc., on this land. New railroad will run in 3 miles of this property.

**FOR SALE:** Two 4-room cottages in West Hickman, lot 66x196, fenced, water works, etc. Either one for \$500 or both for \$950. The houses cannot be built for this money.

**FOR SALE:** A good bottom farm of over 200 acres. \$38 per acre will buy it; don't inquire unless you mean business. Adjoining farms held at \$55 to \$60.

**FOR SALE:** A new 6-room residence and 4 vicinity lots (4 1/2 acres) barn, etc., just outside city limits; a corking good place for the money. Enough ground for truck gardening and poultry. The place you've been looking for; let us give you the figures on it.

**FOR SALE:** A nice 7-room residence and lot in West Hickman, near the Chapel. House in good repair, all improvements, lot is 66x190 and located on best street in that section. \$1500 will buy it; one-third cash, balance one and two years; or for spot cash we will sell cheaper. Good reasons for wanting to sell; and you will not make a mistake if you buy it. You can't replace the house for this money.

**FOR SALE:** Nice 4-room residence

and lot 60x150, in East Hickman; all necessary improvements—good stable cistern, fences, etc. \$900 will buy it. Owner has good reasons for selling—Call at Courier office.

**FOR SALE:** A nice little 3-room cottage in Bond Addition—built this year. Lot 66x150, ample room for garden, chickens, etc. Every day you pay rent you are losing money. This place can be had for only \$550.

**FOR SALE:** Nice 5-room residence in West Hickman. Has coal house, buggy shed and all other improvements. Well located; easily worth \$1,500 to \$1,800, but will sell for less. Are you renting? Cut it out, own a home. This is a bargain.

**FOR SALE:** Nice residence near the College. Plenty of ground and all improvements. Terms to suit purchaser. Don't pay rent. See us, if you want a home.—Hickman Courier.

**FOR SALE:** Nice five-room cottage and lot 66x160, five minutes walk from post office. Has all necessary improvements. No overflow and no hill to climb. If you want a bargain, shove \$900 in your jeans and come get it. You can't find another chance to get a home so cheap.

**FOR SALE:** A nice residence, one block from Postoffice. The house has 6 rooms, two halls, and two porches; in good repair and a very desirable place. Call at this office.

**FOR SALE:** One of the very best lots in the Henry Addition. Cash or time.

**FOR SALE:** The Allison Tyler residence property on the hill. Can be bought for about half what it is really worth. It will bear close inspection.

**FOR SALE:** A small farm, one mile from town, all in cultivation; a fine one for truck farming. Will be sold on easy terms. All necessary improvements. This office.

**FOR SALE:** A No. 1 good business building located in the heart of the city. Will be sold at a sacrifice if taken at once. Rents readily for a good figure. Good reasons for selling.

**FOR SALE:** New residence in the fast-growing Bond Addition. Same size lot and house in this addition is being held for \$650. We offer you this place for a limited time at \$550, part cash. You ought to own a home. The money you have spent for rent in the past five years would more than pay for this place.

The Hickman Courier has a nice six-room, 2 story brick house and two good lots for sale cheap. All improvements, two cellars, cistern, etc. It will cost \$2,000 to build house, our price \$1400. Ask for No. 64.

For particulars apply at the Courier office.

## Courier's Home Circle

Woman.

Woman wears the diadem and mystic keys of deep and innerknowledge. Muscle represents material strength, but not the sign of human superiority. Woman's shining powers raise her above necessity for the armour of physical corporeity, the refinement of her frame revealing the swift vitality of nerve. Her sceptre is empyreal, because it is founded in the security of sublimated authority. Upholding masculine qualities in their realism. Woman's reign is the triumph of humanity, in the intuitional standard of her attainments and in the mystery of her supreme exaltation.

Her voice is rule; her smile is empire; her wisdom is command; and her right is dominion.

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The departure of summer leaves us sad, when we look around us and notice the absence of all the treasured plants that brightened our gardens and homes. "Blessings brighten as they take their flight," and the quenching of so much song, sunshine and sweetness that we have enjoyed through the fleeting months of summer, naturally brings a feeling of depression. We visit the places once filled with summer splendor and find no more the brightness that was wont to gladden us as we wandered by the silvery stream, beneath the wide-spreading boughs of oaks that stretched their emerald arms to support the tender clinging vines now brown and sear. The air is full of echoes of departed joy. But to some the cold, fresh days bring a renewal of health and happiness, while to others a sense of something gone from out our lives. Though our nest has been rifled and we mourn over empty shells so suggestive of joys and hopes that once were ours, there must remain in the heart an assurance that the summer will come again bringing with it all the fresh gladness that has left us. Ah, no, not ended, we have extracted its honey and distilled its dew, and the song we fancied had come to an end is laid away, to be put in tune at a warmer, brighter day. Nature must change her melodies. She sings in a major key for a time, but the plaintive tones of the winds as they rustle the dying leaves bring, if not a gladness, still a soothing feeling, like some noble psalm that is more elevating than the turbulent trill of the summer warblers.

Look for the Sunshine.

How much of sorrow this life holds for even the brightest and most favored of human kind; how every cup has its dregs, and every life its shadows; how empty and unsatisfactory are the highest goals to which we may climb in the world's opinion; how the favors for which we labor so hard, with a single turn of fortune's wheel may be snatched from us. And we thought: Is Heaven a sufficient recompense for all we miss here? Will the heart that finds no restful peace in fame or honor, or even love find peace beneath the throne, that will endure an endless eternity?

We had begun to doubt when quickly came the thought, "Look for the sunshine" and with the thought, the sun burst through the clouds, and shone through the window upon the paper on which we wrote. The glass paper weight caught its rays and reflected them in a halo of colors as fairly resplendent as a jeweled crown. We rested from our work and basked in its light.

Look for the sunshine and it will come. The clouds are transient as things of earth; the sun is always behind them and sometimes when we least expect it the glorious light will shine through.

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A Woman's Sphere.

They talk about a woman's sphere As though it had a limit; There's not a place in earth or heaven, There's not a task to mankind given, There's not a blessing or woe, There's not a whispered 'yes or no, There's not a life, or death or birth, That has a feather's weight of worth Without a woman in it.

Women of the world are usually the queens of the home.

Let this light reflect around this revolving world; woman's real work is on character, her surest weapon is influence.

Every wife should be the mistress of her own home. But the grandmother and the mother-in-law should be the most welcome and the most respected of all visitors.

A little kindly courtesy goes a good

## WORK WEAKENS THE KIDNEYS.

Doan's Kidney Pills have done Great Service for People who Work In Hickman.

Most Hickman people work every day in some strained, unnatural position—bending constantly over a desk—riding on jolting wagons or cars—doing laborious house work; lifting reaching or pulling, or trying the back in a hundred and one other ways. All these strains tend to wear weaken and injure the kidneys until they fall behind in their work of filtering the poisons from the blood. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, put new strength in bad backs. Cures effected in this locality form the strongest proof of their efficiency. Read this testimony:

J. F. Eddleman, barber, Pleasant Port, Ky., says: "Anyone who follows my occupation requires a strong back, for the long hours spent at the chair, bring a steady strain on the muscles of the loins. I was in pretty bad shape and could not work with any degree of comfort. Doan's Kidney Pills were finally brought to my attention and willing to try anything that might check the trouble I procured a box. They promptly relieved the pain in my back and the kidney secretions which had been scanty and distressing in passage, became natural."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## PAY YOUR CITY TAXES.

The penalty is effective September the first. Why wait until too late and be forced to pay unnecessary costs?

Until further notice pay taxes to Tom Dillon, Sr., at his office.

ways in a busy household, and if in our home we use the same politeness we offer our guests—we shall have no ill-fitting "company manners."

The unmarried woman works for necessity, for love of her dependent ones, for love of some beautiful or beneficent profession, for sweet mercy and charity to the ignorant, for horror of dependence upon those on whom she has no claim—seldom for business, ambition or material accumulation.

While a man admires womanly beauty, yet in married life he admires much more—a good square meal cooked by his loving spouse; and let a wife have little or no knowledge of the art of housekeeping, domestic economy, or is a poor cook, be her husband rich as Croesus, her lot will be miserable.

Creation advanced from the simple to the more complex, from the low to the high. Man is later and higher than the fish of the sea, the birds of the air and the beasts of the field, and woman is later and higher than man—last and highest work of creative energy. In woman the dust of the earth reaches its ultimate possibilities. It is susceptible of no finer organization.

In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach, wind colic, diarrhoea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Clear Brain Above All. Only a clear brain can guide the hand to exert its cunning for the benefits of its owner and the good of mankind.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1935. A. W. Gleason, (Seal) Notary Public

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Holy Cross Day.

Holy Cross day, September 14, is a name sometimes applied to the festival of the exaltation of the cross which commemorates the restoration of the cross to Jerusalem in 628.

Everything for your comfort—at the Lyric Saturday night.

## Not a Drop of Alcohol

What is a "tonic"? A medicine that increases the strength or tone of the whole system. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Name the best "tonic and alterative"? Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. Ask your own doctor all about it. Never take a medicine doctors cannot endorse. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Without daily action of the bowels poisonous products must be absorbed. Then you have impure blood, biliousness, headache. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills for constipation.

## Sprinkling Rates

FOR 1910

The sprinkling rate for the season, beginning May 1st and ending November 1st, 1910, in residence section, is

50 foot front and under . . . \$6  
8c for each additional foot.

Business house rate, each door \$6

This is payable in advance. If you have not paid, please don't sprinkle.

HICKMAN ICE & COAL CO.

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Our Stock is Complete and

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Millionaire Canned Goods  
Heinz's Varieties of Pure Food Products  
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Call on or Telephone us when in need of GROCERIES, FRESH MEATS or FRESH STUFFS.

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## Notice

I desire to inform my friends that I am now sole proprietor of the Coal business which formerly belonged to the Hickman Ice & Coal Co., and am now prepared to give you the best of service in this line. I am now selling genuine

Pittsburg Coal

4.90 A TON

My office will be at the Hickman Ice & Coal Co. Phone No. 48

Your orders appreciated, whether large or small.

A. A. FARIS

## Farmers and Merchants Bank

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...ABSOLUTE SAFETY...

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If there is a blue mark on your Courier don't fail to renew this month as all papers are discontinued at the expiration of the time.

The Hickman Fur. Co. will surprise you in the matter of low prices and good goods. Don't take our word but come and see for yourself.

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Hickman, Ky.

## WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS.

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pain in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you—Hickman Drug Co., Price 50c.

Cotton, the plumber. Phone 65.

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